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HIS HIGHNESS MAHARAJA

RAOL SHRI BHAVSINHJI, K. C. S. I.,

MAHARAJA OF BHAVNAGAR.

YOUR HIGHNESS,

Pursuant to Your Highness' directions I have the honour to submit the following Report of the Administration of Your Highness' State for the year 1906–07.

Dewan Office:
Bhavnagar, 1st May 1907.

PRABHASHANKER D. PATTANI,
Dewan of Bhavnagar.

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CHAPTER I.

GENERAL AND POLITICAL.

Area, Population, Tribute, Revenue.

The State of Bhavnagar lies at the head and west side of the Gulf of Cambay in the Kathiawad Peninsula, between 21° 18′ and 22° 18′ north latitude and 75° 15′ and 72° 18′ east longitude. Its area is about 2,860 square miles, and its population 412,664 souls according to the census of 1901. It pays an annual tribute of Rs. 1,28,060 to the British Government, Rs. 3,581-8-0 to Baroda, and Rs. 22,858 to Junagadh. The gross revenue calculated on an average of the last five years is Rs. 37,93,939 inclusive of Rs. 7,59,619 the income of the Bhavnagar Integral Railway which is the sole property of the State. The gross expenditure calculated on the same basis is Rs. 35,83,215 inclusive of the Railway expenditure of Rs. 4,08,325.

His Highness.

His Highness Maharaja Raol Shri Bhavsinhji, K. C. S. I., was in the best of health throughout the year under report and he continued to give undivided attention to the affairs of the State. The success that has attended the administration of the State is mainly due to the ever watchful care and able guidance of His Highness and the tone of efficiency in the working of the various Departments has been maintained at the same high level as before. His Highness visited Mahuva on the 20th April and was encamped there till the 4th of June. During his stay at Mahuva, he paid a short visit to Rayadi Pati and Chhapariali. He was at Ghantwad in the district of Dhari in the territory of His Highness th Gaekwar for four days from the 26th to 29th of May on a Panther-shooting ex rsion. From Mahuva his camp moved to Trapaj on the 5th of June and on the 11th of June he reached Bhavnagar. He was at Kundla during the last week of November and the first week of December. He spent the Christmas week at Rayadi Pati and Chhapariali had the benefit of his stay in the week following. He went to Gadhada, Mandavdhar and Junavadar in January and February. On the 10th of March His Highness left for Jamnagar by a special train to personally congralulate His Highness Maharaja Jam Shri Ranjitsinhji on his accession to the *Gadi* of Jamnagar. During this visit His Highness had the pleasure of attending the Darbar held by Mr. P. S. V. Fitz-Gerald, C. S. I., Agent to the Governor in Kathiawad, for the installation ceremony.

Her Highness Rani Shri Nandkunverba was in excellent health ; Kunvari Shri Manharkunverba enjoyed good health and prosecuted her st[illegible] diligently under the able tutorship of Miss Deb.

His Highness' relations with his brother Kumar Shri Mangalsinhji continue to be most cordial.

Celebration of His Majesty's Birth-day.

The birth-day of His Royal Majesty the King-Emperor was as usual celebrated with great *eclat* on the 29th June 1906, the day announced for the purpose. A Salute of 31 guns was fired at sunrise, and the Royal Standard was hoisted on the City flag-staff. The Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers and the State Infantry held a parade in the morning, ending in a *feu de joie* which was witnessed by His Highness and his principal officers. The military were given a day's *batta* and Rs. 500 were ordered to be distributed amongst the poor Christians in the State. In memory of this auspicious occasion Rs. 5,000 were set apart to be spent as usual in improvements in the Victoria Park. The day was observed as a general holiday all over the State.

Celebration of His Highness' Birth-day.

The 13th of April 1906 being His Highness' birth-day, was observed as a general holiday throughout the State and all the schools and offices were ordered to be closed. About 1,072 books of the total value of Rs. 550 were distributed as prizes to school-boys and girls for whose amusement various pastimes were provided in the Peile Gardens. Sugar-candy was distributed among school-going children and eleven scholarships of the aggregate amount of Rs. 135 per month were granted to students attending various Schools and Colleges. Thirty-two widows of various castes and creeds received a monthly sum of Rs. 3 each as maintenance for life. The right of sale with respect to their houses was graciously bestowed upon the residents of 34 villages of the several districts of the State.

A parade of the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers and the State Infantry took place early in the morning and a salute of 11 guns was fired to announce the arrival, on the parade ground, of His Highness. The parade was witnessed by His Highness and the principal officers and it ended in a *feu de joie*. The military as usual received a day's *batta* allowance.

Personnel of the Administration.

Appendix I gives particulars as to the principal officers of the State showing the changes that took place during the year. The Naib Dewan Mr. Ratilal Chhotelal, after a long and useful service, retired on pension in April 1906, and Mr. Tribhuvandas Kalidas was appointed to take up his duties under the designation of Revenue Assistant to the Dewan. Mr. Murarji Anandji Tana was appointed to be Personal Assistant to the Dewan and to the Bhavnagar Member of the Railway Board on the 12th of July 1906. During the absence on leave of Raol Shri Dansinhji, the Revenue Commissioner, Mr. Edulji Jamsedji Sanjana was appointed to act for him and he continues [redacted]old the Office. Mr. Kavasji Jamsedji Sanjana was for a few months [redacted]harge of the post of the Controller of the State Accounts but he

reverted to his office as Principal of the Samaldas College in the beginning of January last. Mr. Burjojee Ardeshir Entee was then appointed to be Controller, and he also works as Professor of History in the College. The post of the Director of Education, vacated by Mr. B. A. Entee has been conferred upon Mr. Manishanker Ratanji Bhatt, B. A. The place of Police Superintendent having become vacant in consequence of the resignation of Mr. Meruji D. Chudasama, Mr. Vishvanath R. Joshi was appointed to the said office, and he assumed the duties thereof on 24th November 1906. Prior to this he was with the kind permission of Government, attached for some time to the office of the Superintendent of Police, Surat, and had the benefit of acquiring a practical insight into the working of the British Police.

CHAPTER II.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE LAND.

1. Revenue Collection.

Reveue year.

The Revenue year begins with 1st November and ends with 31st October (Divali) and collections of revenue are made by two instalments of 40 and 60 per cent respectively about the months of December and April in all the Districts except Mahuva, Talaja, and Daskrohi where there are three instalments of 40, 40, and 20 per cent, falling due in December, April and June. Thus all figures relating to revenue throughout this report cover the year ending with 31st October 1906. The agricultural facts which they represent are therefore those connected with the rainfall of the Samvat year 1961 (1905 A. D.) rather than those of the monsoon of 1962 (1906 A. D.) which latter will find their place in the ensuing report.

Rain-fall.

As mentioned in the last year's report the rain-fall of Samvat 1961 was insufficient. The month of June 1905, gave only a few cents here and there. In July the monsoon began in right earnest, the maximum fall registered being 18·6 inches at Botad, and the minimum being 5·33 inches at Victor. Sowing operations were begun cheerfully, and the initial prospects looked very bright and sanguine. Rains however withheld in August, and for three anxious weeks of the month not a drop fell to relieve the gloomy situation. The last week gave from ·10 to 1·28 in the different districts. All hopes were fixed on a plentiful fall in September, but that month proved to be equally disappointing, the rain measured being about 4 inches at Botad, 3 inches at Kundla and Umrala, about 2 inches in all the other districts excepting Lilia where only ·70 was registered. The average total rain-fall for all the districts was 13·38 inches, which is certainly below the normal. Small as the bounty was, it was distributed over convenient periods, and that saved a repetition of the previous year's scarcity. Though the crops did somewhat suffer, the situation was more favourable than in the previous year, and it was considerably improved by a bounteous crop of cotton owing to an unexpected fall of dew in winter. His Highness perecived that though the general outlook was tolerably bright, his ryots were only just emerging out of a bad year, coming on the top of several unfavourable seasons, and that there was still need for caution, [illegible]cially in the matter of the collection of past year's arrears. He also considered [illegible]he fact that as the quantity of rain-fall was insufficient, the crop prospects in the several districts and villages could not be equal or even nearly equal. He therefore resolved to adopt the same principle as last year,

with regard to the collection of revenue both past and present, *viz.*, that of fixing an all-round percentage of suspension per district or group of villages, based upon the average outturn of the crops in the areas concerned. After a careful inquiry into the actual prospects of different parts of the State, two villages were found to require being dealt with after the Bhagbatai (crop-share) system and orders were passed for the suspension of 2 annas in 27 villages, of 3 annas in 3, of 4 annas in 80, of 5 annas in 8, of 6 annas in 44, of 7 annas in 3, of 8 annas in 32, of 9 annas in 5, of 10 annas in 6, of 12 annas in 1, and of 14 annas in 1, while there were 162 villages which required no suspension. As to past arrears, only a certain percentage of these was ordered to be collected in 125 villages, which were favoured with more plentiful rain. Principle of suspension.

During the year under report the revenue collections amounted to Rs. 28,84,951 out of the total demand of Rs. 32,99,582, exclusive of Railway, and Rs. 4,14,631 was the amount suspended. Appendix **XXVI.** gives the details of these figures as compared with those of Samvat 1961. Revenue Collections.

The revenue arrears at the close of the previous year amounted to Rs. 37,90,768 out of which Rs. 2,53,731 only fell in during the year under review as against Rs. 20,23,018 in the preceding year, leaving an outstanding balance of Rs. 35,25,688. Adding to this the arrears of the year under report we arrive at Rs. 39,40,319 as the total amount outstanding up to 31st October 1906, as will be seen from the following table :— Arrears.

Districts.	Previous Arrears.				Arrears of Samvat 1962.	Total Arrears at the end of 1962.
	At the close of Samvat 1961.	Recoveries in Samvat 1961.	Written-off in Samvat 1962.	Balance of Arrears.		
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Mahuva ...	5,62,835	92,346	256	4,70,233	17,582	4,87,815
Kundla ...	10,09,923	49,170	...	19,60,753	99,015	10,59,768
Lilia ...	5,47,980	10,572	2,482	5,24,926	74,743	5,99,669
Umrala ...	4,57,807	24,211	1,152	4,32,444	68,698	5,01,142
Botad ...	38,14,187	7,360	3,671	3,73,156	8,541	3,81,697
Daskrohi ...	1,35,640	14,156	568	1,20,916	22,047	1,42,963
Gadhada ...	2,80,448	5,416	1,449	2,73,583	35,500	3,09,083
Sihor ...	1,00,972	9,811	...	91,161	37,682	1,28,843
Talaja ...	69,118	8,848	557	59,713	15,113	74,826
Victor ...	2,45,701	25,684	1,214	2,18,803	41,658	2,60,461
Customs, &c. ...	6,157	6,157	...	...	31,052	31,052
Total... ...	37,90,768	2,53,731	11,349	35,25,688	4,14,631	39,40,319

Towards the re-payment of the loans advanced to Bhayats and Mulgrassias in the famine year Rs. 32,684 only were recovered. There is still an outstanding balance of Rs. 1,79,440 made up of the principal and interest due thereon. Loans to Bhayats and Mulgrasias.

2. Waste Lands.

Culturable Area.

The total area of arable land under the administration of the Revenue Department was 740,835 acres or 1,852,089 bighas as against 699,704 acres or 1,749,260 bighas in the preceding year. These include 1,109 acres or 2,264 bighas of land escheated to the Darbar during the year under review.

Out of the unculturable area, 332 bighas was brought under cultivation duriug the year and 621 bighas of arable land was classed as unarable owing to its deterioration. About 81, bighas of Darbari land being given in Jivai came to be eliminated from Darbari lands and classed as Baharkhali. The figures in the preceding paragraph take account of the above facts.

Waste Area.

Out of this culturable area, only 11,690 acres or 29,226 bighas was lying waste during the year under report. This land consists mostly of portions washed away, rendered saltish, or otherwise become unfit for cultivation.

Area under Cultivation.

The area under cultivation was 729,145 acres or 1,822,863 bighas as against 680,801 acres or 1,702,002 bighas. The increase in the area cultivated of 48,344 acres or 120 861 bighas indicates the increasing capacity of the cultivator to occupy and till the land.

Lease at reduced assessment.

During the year under report 76,014 bighas were leased out for a reduced rental of Rs. 32,434. Adding this area to the lands leased out for a reduced rental during previous years, the total comes to be 181,821 bighas. These if occupied for their fully assessed amount would bring in Rs. 2,19,416 instead of Rs. 1,26,180 which they fetch now.

3. Tagavi Advances.

Tagavi.

During the year Rs. 23 only were advanced for *Kos* which was however paid in before the close of the year. The total arrears on this head were Rs. 1,00,263 at the close of the Samvat year 1961. During the year under report Rs. 11,708-8-4 were recovered, and Rs. 103-11-5 had to be written off. There is still a considerable balance of Rs. 88,451 for recovery. These figures refer to all the districts except Mahuva, Kundla and Talaja where these advances were mixed with arrears for land revenue dues and separate figures were not therefore obtainable.

4. Survey.

Revenue Survey.

The revenue survey establishment did satisfactory work during the year, inspecting the boundary marks and attending and re-adjusting and repairing the same.

5. Wards and other Estates.

Estates under Management.

During the year under report 72 estates were in charge of the District Revenue Officers on account of minority, indebtedness, disputes between rival claimants and similar causes. Of these, 43 were managed under the supervision of the Revenue Commissioner and 29 under that of the Rajyaprakarni Court.

6. Giras and Alienation Settlement.

Giras Settlement.

During the year under report only two cases were filed by Mul-grasias alleging infringement of their rights.

Co-parcenery & Heirship Cases.

Twenty-five cases of co-parcenery and heirship between Mul-grasias were pending at the close of the preceding year and 17 new cases were filed in the year under report. Of these, 10 were disposed of, leaving a balance of 32 at the close of the year. Of the 10 that were disposed of, 3 have been appealed against.

Alienation Settlement.

Reports concerning alienated land in 40 villages of Daskrohi, Umrala, Gadhada and Botad were submitted and received the sanction of the Darbar Hazur during the year under report.

CHAPTER III.

PROTECTION.

1. Legislation.

Appendix **II.** gives a list of the laws and rules in force in the State.

2. Military—Imperial Service Lancers.

Command. Lieutenant Zoravarsinh continued to be in command of this corps.

Strength. The Force numbered 293 at the close of the previous year, out of whom 43 were discharged and 2 died during the year under report, leaving 248 which with 26 newly enlisted brings up the total strength to 274 at the end of the year. These consist of 11 Commissioned Officers, 30 Non-Commissioned Officers, and 233 fighting men. Appendix **III.** will explain the necessary details.

Arms. The Regiment is armed with carbines, swords and lances. The arms were inspected by the Civil Chief Master Armourer and found satisfactory. The Armourer was pronounced to be efficient.

Remounts. The number of horses at the end of the preceding year was 283, and 27 newly purchased during the year brought the strength to 310. Of these, 5 died, 3 were sold, and 2 were put on the ponies strength, leaving the total at 300 at the close of the year.

Ponies. There were 84 ponies at the commencement of the year under report, the number rose to 103 at the end of the year.

Musketry. The Regiment has gone through the whole course of Musketry. The Regiment has 2 marksmen, 19 first-class shots, and no third-class ones. Kote-Dafedar Mohbatsinh was sent to the Musketry Class at Meerut and stood second in a large field of 40 Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers.

Signalling. Jamadar Bapubhai who was at Pinjore Signalling Class at the commencement of the year, returned with an excellent certificate, having secured 290 points out of 300. The figure of merit obtained by the signallers of this corps at their inspection by Captain Brodhurst at Rajkot was 348·66. This is a record performance.

Polo. The Polo Team of the Regiment was entered in the Bombay Polo Tournament. It was unfortunately pitted against the Poona Horse and it lost the match by 4 goals 2 after a very well contested and fast game.

Hockey. The Regiment's interest in Hockey remains unabated.

A few horses of the Force took part in the races at Rajkot, one coming first, three second, and two third. Racing.

This continues to be efficiently practised as heretofore. Sword & Lance Exercise.

The Regiment went out for a month's Camp of Exercise during the year and did excellent service there. Camp of Exercise.

The total cost of the Regiment was Rs. 1,62,916 during the year under review. Cost.

3. Infantry or Armed Police.

The strength of the Armed Police known as the Bhavnagar State Infantry was 279 at the end of the preceding year. During the year under report, 9 died, 37 were discharged from the service, and 42 recruits were newly enlisted. The strength at the close of the year was 275. The cost of this Force to the State was Rs. 54,933. Appendix **III-A** gives the necessary details with regard to this Corps. The arms borne by the Force consist of rifles and bayonets. Strength.

The Band attached to the Infantry continues to be highly efficient. Band.

There is no separate Artillery Force in this State. A party of the Infantry specially trained for the purpose perform those duties. Artillery.

4. Police.

The total Police Force of the State under the exclusive control of the Police Department stands at 738, consisting of 58 Officers, 52 Mounted Police, and 628 Footmen (inclusive of 75 Chowkidars of the Village Police). Regular Police.

The Village Police consists of 2,315 men exclusive of the 75 Chowkidars who owing to the peculiar situation and circumstances of certain villages are placed under the exclusive control of the Police Department. Of these, 507 are Mukhis or Police Patels, 963 are Chowkidars, and 845 are Pasaitas. Among the Mukhis 219 have exclusive charge of the Village Police work, while 288 have both Police and revenue charges. The whole of the Village Police is under the control of the Revenue Department, but in so far as they perform Police duties, they are under the supervision of the Police Department. Village Police.

The total strength of both the Regular and Village Police comes to 3,053, and if the Armed Police are added it stands at 3,328 men. The ratio of the whole Force works up to one man for every 123·8 men of the population and every 0·85 square mile of the area. The ratio of the Regular Police a[redacted] is one man for every 559·1 men of the population and every 3·87 squ[redacted] of the area. Strengt[redacted]

Discipline. In the Police Department there are 148 Sipahis, 446 Rajputs, 90 Rabaris, 5 Sindhis, and 8 Arabs. Of these, only 362 know how to read and write, and 87 are under instruction. During the year under report 56 men were rewarded by promotion, 36 were dismissed, and 221 men were fined or punished departmentally. Appendix **IV.** gives the necessary details in this connection.

Cost. The cost of the Police Department in the year under report was Rs. 1,18,957 against Rs. 1,20,565 in the preceding year.

Arms. The Mounted Police is provided with rifles and swords and the Foot Police with Batons.

CognizableCrimes Appendix **V.** will show that during the year under report the number of cognizable offences reported was 139 less than that in the preceding year, the number of persons arrested was smaller by 67, and that of persons sent up for trial by 66. The convictions showed a decrease of 60 and the discharges and acquittals, of 16, compared to the corresponding results of the previous year.

Offences generally. The total number of offences (both cognizable and non-cognizable) reported increased from 3,588 to 3,638, showing a rise of 1·4 per cent. The following table will show the main heads of the offences this year as compared with those in the last year :—

	1905-6.	1906-7.
Murder	7	6
Culpable homicide	7	5
Grievous hurt	44	35
Hurt	555	556
Dacoity	1	0
Robbery	13	11
Hous-breaking	58	60
Theft	366	284
Petty offences	2,537	2,681
Total ...	3,588	3,638

Further details will be found in Appendix **VII.**

Value and Recovery of Stolen Property. The aggregate value of property alleged to have been stolen during the year was Rs. 6,373 as against Rs. 14,865 in the previons year, and that of property recovered Rs. 4,573 as against Rs. 7,356, the percentage of recovery being 71·75 as against 49·5 last year (*vide* Appendix **VI**).

5 Criminal Justice.

[redacted]he number and constitution of Criminal Courts in the State remained [redacted]in the previous year, *viz.*, 9 Magistrates' Courts and 2 Courts of [redacted]2 Courts of Appeal.

Work done by Original Courts.

The work done by the various original courts during the year under report will appear from Appendices **VII.** and **VIII.** It will be seen that the number of cases brought to trial was 1,864 as against 1,870 last year, showing a decrease of ·3 per cent, and the number of persons involved was 3,209 as against 3,305 last year, also showing a decrease of ·3 per cent. Of the 3,209 persons brought to trial, 1,567 were convicted, 922 were acquitted, 693 were discharged, and 5 died before trial, while 22 remained under trial at the close of the year. As to punishments, two sentences of death were inflicted in the year under notice. Sentences of imprisonment for over six months were passed against 58 persons, of imprisonment for six months and under, against 188, of fine, against 1,304, and of whipping, against 15, as compared with the corresponding figures 33, 266, 1,185 and 13 respectively in the previous year. The amount of fines imposed was Rs. 8,035 as against Rs. 6,620 in the preceding year and the amount recovered under this head was Rs 7,622 as against Rs. 5,875 in 1905-6.

Appeals.

The appellate courts decided 78 out of 82 appeals concerning 133 prisoners, with the result that the decisions of the lower court were upheld in the case of 74, were amended in the case of 17, and quashed in the case of 32 convicts, leaving 4 appeals involving 10 convicts undisposed of at the end of the year (*vide* Appendix **IX.**)

Revision.

There were 12 applications for revision, the sentence being confirmed in 8, amended in 1, and reversed in 2 cases, leaving one application undisposed of at the end of the year.

6. Civil Justice.

Number and Constitution of Courts.

There were 11 courts of original jurisdiction and 3 of appellate jurisdiction as in the previous year.

Number of Suits.

The number of suits rose from 3,931 to 4,939 being an increase of 25·6 per cent. Adding to this 168 cases left undecided at the end of the previous year, there were 5,107 cases before civil courts for decision, as against 4,125 in 1905-06. Out of these, 4,856 suits were disposed of as against 3,957 in the preceding year, of which 53 related to disputes about immovable property, 4,725 to pecuniary claims, and 78 to miscellaneous rights. Their aggregate value was Rs. 4,74,770, as compared with Rs. 4,56,982 in the preceeding year, the average duration of a suit being 2 months and 13·5 days. Further details will be found in Appendix **X.**

Appeals.

The number of appeals presented during the year in the three appellate courts of the State was 201 against 185 last year, which together with the balance of the preceding year makes a total of 245. Of these, 171 appeals, the aggregate value whereof was Rs. 2,43,853, were disposed of, as against 206

appeals of the collective value of Rs. 63,747 in the preceding year. For details see Appendix **XII**. The 177 appeals decided may be classified as follows:—

No. of Appeals.	Class.
27	... Immoveable Property.
116	... Money Transactions.
34	... Miscellaneous Claims.
Total ... 177	

Applications for Execution of Decrees.

The number of applications for execution of decrees presented during the year was 9,514, which with the balance of the previous year comes to 10,135. Out of these, 7,846 or 77 per cent were disposed of, leaving a balance of 2,289 or 23 per cent pending at the close of the year. For details see Appendix **XI**.

Receipts and Expenditure.

The total receipts of all the Courts amounted to Rs. 76,095 as against Rs. 59,921 in 1905-06, while the charges rose from Rs. 73,392 to Rs. 86,554.

7. Registration.

Registration of Documents.

The number of documents presented for registration during the year showed a decline of 213 from that of the preceding year, the value of property involved falling from Rs. 3,36,967 to Rs. 2,32,490, and the fees realized from Rs. 2,285 to Rs. 1,799. The majority of these documents consisted of mortgage Details can be seenfrom Appendices **XIV.** and **XV.**

Deals of immovable property Registered by the Revenue Department,

The above figures do not include sales of immovable property, which being chargeable with *chowth* are entered in the registers of the Revenue Department. Appendix **XIV-A** gives the details of these documents. It will be seen that the number of sales increased by 9, the value of property involved being Rs. 3,01,436 as against Rs. 2,83,217 of the previous year, and the *chowth* receipts Rs. 9,164 as against Rs. 8,595.

8. Jails.

Number and Population.

There are 9 Jails and lock-ups in the State including the central Jail in the capital. The number of prisoners at the end of 1906 was 141, and during the year under report there were 454 admissions, making a total of 595 as against 648 of the preceding year. out of these 3, died before their term had expired, and 459 were released on the expiry of their respective terms of imprisonment, leaving 133 at the close of the year. Appendix **XIII.** gives the necessary details.

Average.

The daily average of prisoners was 144 as against 153 of the previous year.

The gross expenditure exclusive of the charges an account of the Jail-guards at the central Jail was Rs. 17,409 as against Rs. 16,934 in 1905-06, the cost per head coming to Rs. 118 as against Rs. 116 in the preceding year. Expenditure.

During the year under report, prison labour produced goods of the value of about Rs. 5,383 and articles worth Rs. 763 were in hand from the previous year's stock. Out of these, articles valued at Rs. 5,332 were sold and a stock worth Rs. 814 remained on hand as the balance at the close of the year. Prison Labour

The general health of the prison population was well maintained. Health.

9. Municipalities.

There are 10 Municipalities in the State, all of them being maintained as Darbari Institutions at State expense. The most important of these is the Municipality in the Capital which cost to the Darbar Rs. 63,744 in the year under report. This together with the Municipalities of Mahuva, Kundla, Sihor and Botad are under the control of an officer styled the President of Municipalities, and their affairs are managed by a Committee of Members nominated by that officer periodically from among lists of eligible gentlemen sanctioned by the Darbar for the purpose. Each of these Municipalities has a Secretary who assists the Committee and the Bhavnagar City Municipality has also an Assistant Secretary and a large staff of Clerks, Inspectors and other servants. The remaining five Municipalities, *viz.*, those of Umrala, Lilia, Gadhada, Talaja and Rajula are under the control of the Revenue Department and are managed practically in the same manner as those mentioned above. Constitution.

The aggregate income arising out of the miscellaneous receipts classed under this head was Rs. 52,734 as against 55,936 in the previous year, and the expenditure was Rs. 84,243 as against Rs. 81,230 in 1905-06. Further details will be found embodied in Appendix **XVI.** Income and Expenditure.

During the year under report there were 7 fires in Bhavnagar, 5 in Mahuva, 6 in Kundla, 4 in Sihor, 6 in Botad, the estimated loss of property therefrom being Rs. 50,865, Rs. 718, Rs. 15,725, Rs. 990, and Rs 235 respectively, making a total of Rs. 68,533 as against Rs. 5,747 in the preceding year. Fires.

Plague appeared in Bhavnagar early in November 1906 and taxed civic activities heavily for a couple of months although it wholly disappear[illegible] about the end of April 1907. The total mortality owing to plague was [illegible]

Ganga-Jalia and other wells supply water to the town [illegible] in addition to the water in the Gavarishank[illegible] Lake which [illegible]

main pipes into the town, and supplied to the people by means of tanks put up at convenient places. The lake had about 19 feet of water at the end of the year. In the districts the principal sources of drinking water are wells and rivers.

10. Chemical Analysis.

The number of analyses made decreased from 78 to 67. There were 15 cases of suspected human poisoning, 4 of cattle poisoning, 31 of suspected blood stains, 5 of suspected seminal stains, and 12 miscellaneous cases. Out of the 15 cases of human poisoning, opium was detected in 5 only. No poison was detected in any of the 4 cases of cattle poisoning.

126 articles including swords, sticks, knives and clothes were examined by the Chemical Analyser with varying results. These articles were connected with cases in law courts.

283 samples of opium were examined, out of which 58 were found to be good opium, and the rest 225 were found to be more or less adulterated with aloes, gum, catechu, &c.

One packet of white powder was found to contain alum.

Four samples of salt and one of cocoanut oil were also examined.

CHAPTER IV.

PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

1. Weather and Crops.

Rainfall.

Appendix **XVII.** gives particulars of the rainfall in the several districts of the State during the Samvat year 1962 (1906 A. D.), and Appendix **XVII-A,** a comparative statement for 8 years. As observed in the beginning of Chapter II. this report deals more with the effects of the rainfall in Samvat year 1961, and remarks about this rainfall have been made there. The rainfall in the monsoon of Samvat year 1962 was uniformly well distributed and was most timely in all the districts. June gave us from 3·6 to 9·81 inches in the districts. July, August, and September followed with plentiful showers. The number of rainy days was 44, and the end of the monsoon was marked by hopes of bumper harvests. Except in Lilia and Kundla where the crops suffered from Boll-worms and from small locusts known on this part of the country as Khapedi, the yield of crops was plentiful. In view of these conditions the Darbar passed orders for recovery of a certain percentage of the arrears of the revenue demand, the details whereof and of the results consequent thereon will be stated in the next year's report.

2. Agriculture.

Cropped Area.

The total area cropped by Darbari cultivators numbering 19,251 was 711,813 acres or 1,779,533 bighas, the distribution of the crops being as under :—

	Previous year. Acres.	Year under report. Acres.
Cotton	... 280,973	313,945
Wheat	... 27,465	14,615
Oil-seeds	... 30,323	26,239
Bajri, jowari, sugarcane, &c.	... 342,040	357,014
Total	... 680,801	711,813

The total area cropped increased by 4·56 per cent. The area under cotton showed a rise of 11·73 per cent over that in the previous year. The area under wheat decreased by 46·06 per cent, and that under oil-seed by 15·56 per cent. There is not much to attract attention with regard to miscellaneous crops.

The details of agricultural stock in the several districts will be Appendix **XX.** There are 44,082 heads of cattle particul agricultural work.

3. Horticulture.

The Darbar maintained the Victoria Park and the Peile Gardens at a cost of Rs. 7,665 and Rs. 7,617 respectively. They were under the control and supervision of the Public Works Department.

A small garden round the Percival Fountain and the Albert Victor Square both places of public recreation, under the care of the Bhavnagar Municipality, were also maintained by the Darbar.

The Plantation at Mahuva and that at Sihor known by the name of *Kant* were maintained by the Darbar. The Mahuva Plantation and *Fulvadi* possess about 41,837 trees of various descriptions. such as mango-trees, palm-trees, acacia, babul, &c.

4 Horse-Breeding.

Stallions. The number of stallions belonging to the Darbar remained the same, *viz* 12 ; five of these were Arabs, one a T. B. Waler, one a country-bred, one an Italian donkey, and four pure Kathis. For the convenience of the public and with a view to encourage private breeders, two of these stallions are stationed in districts and their services were well utilized.

Service. The number of mares covered was 254, of which 92 belonged to the Darbar, and 162 to private owners. The Darbari mares covered produced 10 colts and 11 fillies, of which 1 colt died, and 20 survived at the close of the year.

Brood-mares. There were 80 brood mares at the end of the last year ; eight fillies were added to the number from the young stock of the Paddock. Three of these were presented, and one was sold, the number at the close of the year under notice remaining at 84. Of these, 3 were walers, 73 stud-bred, 6 Kathis, 1 Arab, and 1 country-bred.

Young Stock. There were 87 young stock at the end of the last year, and 22 were added during the year under report, making in all 109. Of these, 22 were under one year, 33 under two years, 29 under three years, and 25 under 4 years and above. Of these, 8 were classed as brood-mares, 9 died, 5 were sold, and 6 were taken up by the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers. The number at the end of the year was 81.

The Italian donkey was used for covering Darbari mares as well as the baggage ponies of the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers. The mules produced look serviceable to the Regiment.

5. Wages, Labour and Prices.

[redacted] of food-stuffs were high at the beginning of the year under [redacted]as dearest in December and was sold at a high price till April

last. Bajri and jowari were cheapest in November and were sold at reasonable rates about the close of the year under report, and Fodder sold at fair prices. Appendix **XVIII** will show a comparative table of the prices that prevailed during the past five years. It will also indicate the effects of the scanty monsoon of the Samvat year 1961 as also of the seasonal and normal rains of the year 1962.

Wages.

There was no marked fluctuation in the rates of wages in the State except that about the harvest time. The wages of field labourers were nearly three times higher than the normal scale. This continued only about 3 to 4 months, otherwise the average rate for unskilled labour varied from annas $2\frac{1}{2}$ to annas $3\frac{1}{2}$ and that for skilled labour from annas 6 to annas 10.

6. Manufactures and Industries.

Mill.

The one Spinning and Weaving Mill which exists in the State has 241 looms and 16,256 spindles, and it consumed 24,19,322 lbs. of cotton in the year under report, the production being 21,81,070 lbs. of yarn valued at Rs. 9,37,178 and 8,51,552 lbs. of cloth valued at Rs. 4,39,081. The average number of Mill-hands employed was 867.

Cotton Presses and Ginning Factories.

There were 11 cotton-presses, eight at Bhavnagar and three at Mahuva, and 16 Ginning Factories with 409 gins at Botad, Dhola, Panchtalavda, Kundla, Facharia, Dungar, Rajula, Mahuva, and Jesar.

Hand-gins are rarely to be found though they were seen working in a few villages.

Weaving, &c.

Though hand-weaving has been at a very low ebb, weavers in Kundla produced a good stock of gold-laced *pachhedis*, silk-bordered *dhotars*, and thick covering sheets of cotton known as *chofals*. Botad weavers produced a small stock of cotton cloth known as "check". Gadhada turned out a stock of stout woollen blankets, and the Khatris of Sihor, Umrala and Vartej produced carpets and bed-covers dyed in variegated colours. Pretty little wooden and ivory toys continued to be made in Mahuva, and the skill of the Sihor copper-smiths in the preparation of brass and copper household utensils is still admired.

7. Trade.

Port

Besides Bhavnagar, the State possesses the following Ports :—

(*a*) Mahuva and the small ports subordinate thereto,
(*b*) Kathivadar, now called Port Albert Victor,
(*c*) Pipavav,
(*d*) Talaja, (Sultanpur)
(*e*) Jhanjmer (not in use now), and
(*f*) Sundrai.

All these enjoy in virtue of agreements with the Government, the full benefits of British Indian Ports.

Tariff. During the year under report, as hitherto, whenever a change was made in the Tariff duties in force at British Indian Ports on trade to and from foreign ports, it was forthwith extended to the ports in this State and was notified in the Darbari Gazette.

Exports and Imports. The prospects of the year are most apparent in the statistics of trade, which had receded in the previous year, but which again approached its normal proportions in the year under notice. Appendices **XXXI** and **XXXII** and **XXXIII** give full details of the Export and Import trade at all the ports of the State mentioned above. The exports rose by more than 50 per cent, being Rs. 1,56,40,449 as against Rs. 75,66,750 in the previous year. This increase is chiefly accounted for by cotton, which rose by 275 per cent, or 50 lakhs, the other articles showing a rise being ghee, wool and molasses. The imports fall from Rs. 1,15,17,384 to Rs. 1,04,25,065, the noticeable decrease being under grain, metals, oil-seeds and miscellaneous articles. The rise in the imports of cloth, timber and sugar indicates an enhanced purchasing power.

The following table shows the fluctuations in the trade of the State during the last nineteen years :—

No.	Year.	Value of Exports	Value of Imports.
		Rs	Rs
1	1888-1889	1,65,61,819	1,08,15,105
2	1889-1890	1,50,62,992	1,04,53,989
3	1890-1891	1,95,77,119	84,35,531
4	1891-1892	1,82,41,012	90,61,634
5	1892-1893	1,97,41,027	95,47,912
6	1893-1894	2,34,22,350	1,36,64,289
7	1894-1895	1,78,77,702	1,13,11,924
8	1895-1896	1,89,76,519	1,42,01,702
9	1896-1897	2,52,17,621	1,40,62,156
10	1897-1898	1,49,26,740	1,38,75,489
11	1898-1899	1,72,53,065	1,23,90,855
12	1899-1900	1,38,47,645	1,25,09,255
13	1900-1901	44,28,760	2,49,38,685
14	1901-1902	53,86,006	1,05,99,585
15	1902-1903	56,23,159	1,08,84,735
16	1903-1904	1,29,66,048	90,96,665
17	1904-1905	2,21,46,034	97,65,112
18	1905-1906	75,66,750	1,15,17,384
19	1906-1907	1,56,40,449	1,04,25,065

[redacted] Pursuant to the agreement concluded with Messrs. Bird and Company of Calcutta, whereby they undertook to bring their coal steamers right up the [redacted] into Golkhadi, the S. S. Florican, with a cargo of coal from Calcutta, [redacted]ce during the year under review, and lay on the mud in the Golkhadi [redacted]t encountering any the least difficulty. Encouraged by the fact, [redacted]e S. S. King Roberts, which brought in a cargo of sleepers

for the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway from Tasmania, made the same venture, and took berth on the mud in Golkhadi in February last, with perfect safety, thereby effecting a considerable saving in the cost of unloading.

The Customs Frontier Line at Viramgam.

Mention has been made in previous reports of the Customs Frontier Line at Viramgam, the imposition whereof against the trade of Bhavnagar directly violates the much valued treaty-rights of this State,—rights which were acquired by His Highness' illustrious ancestors at the cost of valuable sacrifices. A respectful representation to the Government of India having failed to secure the redress sought for, His Highness has been reluctantly constrained to memorialize the Home Government on the subject. The memorial is still under consideration, but His Highness has sufficient faith in the world famed sense of British Justice to venture to hope that however late the decision may come, the cherished rights which he has inherited from his forefathers, and which have been under quarantine for over three years, will ultimately be preserved to him unmolested.

8. Public Works.

Expenditure.

The total expenditure during the year on Public Works, exclusive of expenditure on Revenue Account on the Bhavnagar Integral Railway, amounting to Rs. 2,85,723 as against Rs. 3,49,294 in the preceding year. The necessary details of this expenditure will be found in Appendix **XIX**.

Harbour.

Dredging in the Bhavnagar Harbour continued as usual. The mud dredged during the year under notice was 191,700 tons as against 260,975 tons in the preceding year, and the depth dredged was 30 feet. The cost per ton came to 11 pies as in the last year.

Light-houses.

The light-houses at the various Bandars were efficiently looked after and continued in good order.

9. Railway.

The Bhavnagar Integral Railway, which was one of the first great undertakings initiated by His Highness' lamented father, dates back to the famine year 1877-78, and it has been of the highest utility to the State and to other parts of the Province of Kathiawad. It is the sole property of the Bhavnagar State. It runs from Bhavnagar to Wadhwan in the north and to Dhasa in the south and extends for 120·33 miles besides 17 miles of sidings. The Bhavnagar Dock Estate has been connected with the Railway line running from the Bhavnagar Terminus.

Gross Earnings.

The gross earnings of the Railway from 1st November 1905 to 31st October 1906 amounted to Rs. 9,87,786 as against Rs. 9,29,032 in the preceding year.

Revenue Expenditure.

The expenditure on Revenue Account was Rs. 4,08,325 as against Rs. 4,21,728 in the previous year.

Net Earnings.

The net earnings of the line were Rs. 5,79,461 as against Rs. 5,07,304 in 1905-06, yielding a return of 7·34 per cent on the capital outlay, as against 6·49 per cent in the last year.

Capital Outlay.

At the close of the year under report the Bhavnagar share of the total capital outlay, including suspense, was Rs. 78,86,144, while the total net earnings amounted to Rs. 1,04,48,782, the excess of earnings over the capital outlay being Rs. 25,62,638.

Through-booking.

Through-booking of goods from stations on the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway to Bombay and *vice versa* by sea continues to be worked under contract with the Bombay Steam Navigation Company and the Bhavnagar State Carting Agency established at Bombay for serving the through traffic with this line continues to work satisfactorily.

Other Railways managed by the B.-G.-J.-P.Board.

Jamnagar, Dhrangadra and the Jetalsar-Rajkot Railways are being worked by the Board of the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway, and the recent conversion of the Morvi Railway into metre-gauge has raised the question of its working. It is hoped that in arriving at a decision on that point the Government will not overlook the claims of the Proprietors of this Railway, with their long experience of working so complicated a system as the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway.

Ranpur-Dhandhuka-Dholka Railway.

The question of the construction of this Railway is still pending the decision of the Government of India. With a view to facilitate their decision the Bhavnagar State and the Ahmedabad-Dholka Railway (represented by Messrs. Killick Nixon and Co.) arrived at a mutually agreeable amicable arrangement in the matter, which was communicated to the Railway Board of the Government of India. The B., B. & C. I. Railway, however having intervened, the Railway Board desired the three parties concerned to meet and see if it was not possible to arrive at some reasonable understaning in the matter. Accordingly the parties held two Conferences in Bombay, and it is hoped that after a careful consideration of the papers the Board will now come to a final decision on this long-delayed question.

CHAPTER V.

FINANCIAL REVIEW.

☞ *The figures given below are subject to alteration at the closing of the year's accounts.*

1. General.

The financial year of the State begins on 1st November and ends on 31st October, and the figures throughout this Chapter relate to that period. Appendix **XXII.** will give a general view of the financial situation of the State at the end of the year under report. It will be seen that as against Dues, Loans, Advances, Investments and cash balance amounting in all to Rs. 1,51,17,646 there are Deposits and Debts to the extent of Rs. 56,93,035, leaving Rs. 94,24,611 to the good.

2. Revenue and Expenditure.

The details with regard to the gross revenue and expenditure of the State during the year under report are given in Appendix **XXII-A.** of which the following is a summary :—

	Revenue.				Expenditure.			
	Samvat 1961.	Samvat 1962.	Increase.	Decrease.	Samvat 1961.	Samvat 1962.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
State ...	31,69,492	32,99,582	1,30,090	...	33,04,152	33,97,553	93,401	...
Railway ...	9,17,649	9,87,786	70,137	...	4,21,878	4,08,325	...	15,553
Total ...	40,87,141	42,87,368	2,00,227	...	37,26,030	38,05,878	79,848	...

There are no items on either side of the account that call for a special remark, except that the figure for Land Revenue collections regained its normal proportion on account of better season-conditions.

Out of the 30 lakhs loan of Samvat 1956, only Rs. 7,25,000 remained due at the close of the year under review, and in March 1908, the State will be free from the said debt.

Savings Bank.

The Darbar Savings Bank continues to rise in usefulness, the balance of deposits at the end of the year being nearly 20 lakhs as against 18 lakhs of the previous year.

3. Bhavnagar State Bonds.

The interest on these Bonds was paid regularly. The bonds continue to rise in popularity, being quoted at a premium.

CHAPTER VI.

VITAL STATISTICS AND MEDICAL RELIEF.

I. Medical.

Total Number of Dispensaries.

During the year under report the total number of Institutions that gave Medical Relief in the State was 19, comprising one Hospital, five Dispensaries, one Darbari Aushadhalaya in the town of Bhavnagar, 10 Dispensaries in the different mahals of the State, a small Dispensary in connection with Sir Takhtsinhji Poor-house at the village Adhevada, and a temporary dispensary at Vertej which was opened on the 5th December 1906 on account of the addition to the Vertej population caused by the prevalence of plague in Bhavnagar.

The temporary Dispensary at Vertej was closed on the 10th January 1907 as the Bhavnagar population returned to Bhavnagar.

Number of Patients treated and Average Attendance.

In all these Institutions 137,926 patients were treated during the year under notice against 139,234 in the last year, showing a decrease of 1,308. Of the patients so treated, 137,089 were out-patients, and 837 in-patients, against 138,269 and 965 respectively in the preceding year. The total daily average attendance of out-door and in-door patients at all the Institutions was 2,793 against 2755·9 in the previous year, and the daily average number of in-door patients in the Sir Takhtsinhji Hospital was 45·4 against 49 3 last year. Details will be found in Appendix **XXIII**.

Prevailing Diseases.

Skin diseases stand at the head of the list of prevailing diseases. Next in order of frequency were malarious fevers, diseases of the digestive system, eye, respiratory system, &c., as given below :—

	Percentag
Diseases of the Skin	22·2
Malarial Fevers	21·3
Diseases of the Digestive System ...	11·6
„ „ Eye	9·9
„ „ Respiratory System ...	6·4
„ „ Ear	4·0
„ „ Connective Tissue ...	3·5
Wounds and Injuries	3·5
Rheumatic Affections	2·5
Diseases of the Nervous System ...	2·0
Dysentry	1·9
Syphilitic Affections	1·3
Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion ...	1·3
Worms	0·7
All other general diseases	7·9
	100·0

Plague.

This year too, the town of Bhavnagar was overtaken by an attack of plague in the beginning of November. Unusual atmospheric and climatic conditions and the dying of rats gave early notice of the coming outbreak to the authorities who rose equal to the situation. They adopted rigorous preventive measures, undertook the destruction of rats and carried on a regular and systematic disinfection of infected houses. These measures combined with the timely exodus of the people to the health camps, the suburbs and the villages around, prevented the epidemic from taking a virulent form and caused a satisfactory decrease in the plague mortality. It continued in a mild form till the end of April.

The plague mortality stood at 259 against 608 during the previous year, out of 413 plague cases recorded.

The towns of Mahuva, Botad, Talaja, and Jesur became infected in the year under report. In Mahuva the epidemic commenced on 14th September and disappeared on 15th December 1906, the number of cases admitted being 279, of whom 93 were discharged cured and 186 proved fatal. In Botad it began on 27th January and continued till 24th April 1906, the number of cases admitted being 40, including 9 of the preceding year, of whom 11 were discharged cured and 29 died. In Talaja it began on 29th October and continued at the close of the year, the number of cases admitted being 21, of whom 10 were discharged cured and 11 proved fatal. In Jesar out of 49 cases admitted, 7 were discharged cured and 42 died.

Cholera.

No case of cholera occurred during the year.

Small-pox.

Small-pox which was prevalent in Bhavnagar at the close of the preceding year, made its appearance in April and continued till June 1906. Mahuva reported a few cases from April to August 1906; and Talaja, in March 1907.

Measles.

A mild type of measles was reported to have prevailed in Bhavnagar in July and October 1906; and in Mahuva, in February and March 1907.

Chicken-pox.

No case of chicken-pox occurred during the year.

Poisoning.

The total number of cases of poisoning treated during the year was 210, of whom 4 proved fatal, and the rest were cured. The details of the cases will be found in Appendix **XXVII.**

The total number of surgical operations performed during the [illegible] 4,014 as against 4,015 during the last year. Of these, 367 were [illegible] 3,647 minor operations, as per details given in Appendix **XXV[illegible]**

Most of the important operations took place at the Takhtsinhji Hospital. For crushing stone in the bladder 22 individuals were operated upon of whom 5 were male adult, 1 female adult, 13 male children and 3 female children. Of these, 20 were discharged cured, 1 died, and 1 is under treatment. The largest stone crushed weighed 4 drachms 5 grains and the smallest 4 grains. In 20 cases the operation was finished in one sitting, and two only required two sittings. The oldest man treated was 60 years of age and the youngest, 2 years.

Cataract.

Extraction of Lens was performed in 23 cases, including the one that remained over from last year. Of these, 21 were performed in the Takhtsinhji Hospital, and 1 was performed in the Sir Jaswantsinghji Dispensary. Of these, 18 were discharged cured, 1 relieved, and 4 proved unsuccessful on account of complications.

2. Vaccination.

Successful and Unsuccessful Cases.

The number of persons vaccinated and re-vaccinated during the year under report was 7,869 against 11,119 during the preceding year. Of these, 7,759 were primarily vaccinated, the number of operations being 7,805, and 110 were cases of re-vaccination. Among the operations of primary vaccination 7,448 were successful and 300 unsuccessful, the result in 57 cases being unknown on account of the children not having been brought for inspection. Among re-vaccinations the number of successful and unsuccessful cases was 105 and 2 respectively, the result of 3 being unknown.

Classification.

Of persons primarily vaccinated, 6,978 were Hindus, 583 Mussalmans, 8 Parsees, and 190 of other castes. Classifying them according to sex, 3,950 were males and 3,809 females.

Percentage.

The percentage of successful operations among primary vaccinations was 95·4 and among re-vaccinations 95·4, the ratio per 1,000 of population working to 18·3.

Inspection.

Out of 635 villages in the State 505 were visited by Vaccinators, 153 only remaining unvisited. The Inspector visited 238 villages and inspected 7,482 children against 209 villages and 8,452 children in the preceding year.

The total cost to the Darbar under this head was 4,871, the cost for [redacted] successful case coming to Re. 0-10-3 against Rs. 0-7-9 in the preceding [redacted] details can be seen from Appendices **XXIX** and **XXX**.

3. Veterinary.

No epidemic cattle-disease was reported during the year.

Veterinary Hospital.

The Bhavnagar Veterinary Hospital was built by the Darbar about 26 years ago, and all expenditure in connection therewith is defrayed by the State.

Excluding 3 animals under treatment at the close of the last year, 2,320 animals were admitted during the year. Out of these, 272 animals were treated as in-patients, of which 1 died, 2 were relieved, 266 were cured, and 3 remained in the Hospital for treatment at the close of the year.

CHAPTER VII.
PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

1. Education.

Institutions.

The Educational Institutions of the State consist of one Arts College, one High School, 6 Middle Schools, 139 Primary Schools, including Sanskrit Pathshalas and an Urdu School, and four Aided Schools. In Appendices **XXV** and **XXV-A**. will be found the details with regard to the pupils, attendance, receipts and expenditure of all these Institutions, as compared with those of the previous year. The decrease of one in the number of Institutions is due to the fact that the English Class at Rajula which had been started as an experiment last year, did not work satisfactorily, and had, therefore, to be closed. The average monthly number of pupils and their average daily attendance were slightly lower than in the previous year.

Mission Schools.

The two Mission Schools were conducted in Bhavnagar, one for boys and the other for girls.

Private Schools.

Besides the Mission Schools there were 10 Private Schools in the State in the year under report, as per list given in Appendix **XXV-B.**

Indigenous Schools.

There were also 53 Indigenous Schools attended by 3,215 pupils as against 47 Schools attended by 2,980 pupils in the preceding year.

Scholarships.

Besides spending liberally upon Education in the State, the Darbar maintains a number of pupils at several Institutions outside Bhavnagar. as will be seen from the Statement given in Appendix **XXV-C.** The total number of scholarships granted in the year under report was 77 and their aggregate Rs. 14,970 as against 64 Scholarships and their aggregate cost Rs. 13,368 respectively in the preceding year. Two new medical Scholarships were granted during the year under report, one for the Nursing School at Ahmedabad and the other for the Ayurved Vidyalaya of Bombay. One scholarship of Rs. 25 per month was granted for study of Japanese at Lahore.

Samaldas College.

The following figures show the number of students and ex-students sent by the Samaldas College, and of those who passed the various University Examinations :—

Examination.	1905-1906.		1906-1907.	
	No. of Students and Ex-students.		No. of Students and Ex-students.	
	Sent up.	Passed.	Sent up.	Passed.
Previous	32	11	40	16
[illegible]termediate	19	10	12	8
[illegible]r B. A.	10	5	13	6
[illegible]	1	1	1	1
[illegible]	9	3	7	2

Of the 16 who passed the Previous Examination, one was placed in the second-class, and secured a University Scholarship; and of the 12 that passed the Intermediate, two got a second-class.

University Inspection and Recommendations.

One note-worthy event in the history of the College in the preceding year was the visit of the Inspectors, appointed by the University, to the College to conduct systematic inquiry into every thing connected with that Institution. Their report to the Syndicate was not known but some recommendations were made in a letter for acceptance and adoption. These involve an expenditure of a large sum which it is not at present possible to undertake. The State, however, has favourably received some of the suggestions and come forward with cheerful alacrity and promptitude, to carry them out. A project is taken in hand for the erection of Quarters for the Principal or one of the Professors in the vicinity of the College. A grant of a sum of over Rs. 4,500 is sanctioned for extendnig the quarters for the resident students. Necessary changes in the staff were made to raise it to a state of efficiency. These measures, it is hoped, will advance the interest, and enhance the excellence, of the College.

Alfred High-School.

This school sent up 48 students to the Matriculation Examination, of whom 37 came out successful. The annual examination was, as usual, conducted by the Head-master with the help of his Assistants, and the results were satisfactory.

Four new rooms were added to the building, accommodating the Anglo-vernacular Classes during the year under notice at the cost of Rs. 14,965.

Middle Schools.

The progress of these schools was satisfactory. During the year under review was celebrated the Jubilee of the Bhavnagar Anglo-Vernacular School in honour of the fiftieth year of the school's existence.

The schools at Bhavnagar, Sihor, Kundla and Mahuva were examined by the Director of the State Education with the help of the local staff ; while the school at Botad was examined by the Educational Inspector of the State.

Primary Schools.

The primary schools (for boys as well as girls) were, as usual, examined by the Inspectors, and the results were reported to be satisfactory. The methods of teaching appear to be slowly but surely improving.

The progress of these schools was also reported to be satisfactory. [redacted] Sanatan Dharma School which had been opened in the preceding ye[redacted] the special object of giving moral and religious instruction, was [redacted] the year under report to open a class for teaching the Fourth S[redacted]

Education of the Cultivation Class.

It is to be regretted that the Cultivator Class does not avail itself of the opportunities liberally afforded by the Darbar for the Education of its children. It, however, seems to have shirked off apathy as will be seen from a rise in the number of pupils of this class from 1,083 to 1,180, as per following table of distribution :—

Institution.	1905-1906.		1906-1907.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
The Alfred High School	4	...	...	...
The Anglo-Vernacular Schools	24	...	112	...
Vernacular Schools	1,007	48	1,022	46
Total... ...	1,035	48	1,134	46
Grand Total... ...	1,083		1,180	

Education of the Backward Classes.

Much encouragement is given by the Darbar to the education of Grasias, Mahomedans and other backward classes. Fortunately the Grasias have awakened to a sense of their dignity and some of their recent popular movements are among the hopeful signs of the future of Kathiawar. During the year under review all the Grasia Scholarships in the High School were bestowed on suitable candidates and, it is hoped that the other backward classes will also be more ready to utilize the educational opportunities offered to them.

Teachers' Associations.

These Shikshaka-Samajas were asked to continue their useful work as heretofore of the explanation and propagation of improved methods of teaching.

During the year under review Mr. Narsinhprasad Kalidas Bhatt, B. A., Head-master, Anglo-Vernacular School, at Mahuva, passed the first secondary Teacher's Examination, and was placed in the First Class. It is to be noted that the teacher who came first at that Examination is also an old student of Bhavnagar.

2. Physical Education.

The Samaldas College Gymkhana continues to flourish under the liberal grant given by the Darbar. In the year under report the students displayed their usual keenness for sports. The Cricket XI. defeated the Junagadh College Team in the competition for the Lord Northcote Shield and went to Baroda where it was beaten by the Baroda College.

The High School Cricket Club continued to flourish during the year [illegible]er review. The majority of students preferred playing Cricket to Gym[illegible] exercises, though they regularly attended the Gymnasium twice a [illegible]re are now Cricket Clubs both at Sihor and Mahuva, and every[illegible]rames and sports are much indulged in.

3. Libraries and Museum.

Barton Library.

The Barton Library at Bhavnagar which is located near the Ruvapari Gate, has a well chosen collecton of books on literature, history, philosophy, &c., besides a considerable number of Sanskrit works, printed and in manuscript. 118 new volumes were added during the year, bringing the total number of books in the Library to 5,700. It subscribed to 20 papers and 40 periodicals, English as well as Vernacular, in addition to 18 papers and 4 periodicals supplied by the Darbar. The number of subscribers on the Register was 246 as against 248 last year, and the subscriptions received amounted to Rs. 823 against Rs. 894. The number of books issued during the year was 4,972 against 5,044. The total expenditure during the year was Rs. 2,388 of which a part was met from subscriptions, and the deficiency of Rs. 1,565 was paid by the Darbar.

District Libraries.

Besides the Barton Library, there are about eighteen Libraries or reading rooms in the State which have a fair stock of books and newspapers and are supported by the Darbar. Some of the Libraries at the head-quarters of the Districts are housed in buildings provided out of funds collected by the people in memory of His Highness the late Maharaja Sir Takhtsinhji.

Museum.

Attached to the Barton Library is a Museum of antiquities which contains an interesting collection of rare and precious coins and specimens of local manufacture as well as works of art and industry. All the articles placed in it have been classified. It also contains interesting collections of arms and armour used by the former Rulers of the State.

CHAPTER VIII.

MISCELLANEOUS.

1. State Printing Press.

The total receipts were Rs. 29,860 and the total expenditure Rs. 16,930 as against Rs. 29,947 and Rs. 16,518 respectively in the preceding year.

The periodicals printed were the monthly *Darbari Gazette* and the *Kavyapremi*.

A grant of Rs. 5,000 was sanctioned during the year under report, for furnishing the Press with an oil-engine. This employment of power instead of human labour in the Press for turning heavy machinery will, it is hoped, conduce to increase regular out-turn of work and prove a great factor in securing larger amount of work.

There are two private Printing Presses in the State.

2. The Takhtsinhji Poor-house.

This poor-house at Adhevada continued to be managed by the Rajya-kharcha Department of the State. The inmates of the house were fed and clothed by the Darbar at a cost of Rs. 3,441. The number of the poor who took advantage of this institution was 27,162 as against 41,935 last year. The number at the end of the year was 57, of which 23 and 15 were adult men and women, 10 and 9 boys and girls. Seven of the boys attended school.

Besides maintaining this poor-house a sum of Rs. 47,805 was spent by the Darbar under the supervision of the Rajyakharch Department in supporting a number of miscellaneous charities.

3. Stationery.

The value of stock requisitioned and supplied during the year was Rs. 5,541, and of the stock on hand at the close of the year was Rs. 5,049.

Conclusion.

In conclusion, it gives me pleasure to tender my best thanks to all the Heads of Departments and Officers, who have worked so zealously and devotedly in the performance of their respective duties, and whose hearty co-operation has largely contributed to the smooth working of the administration. I have particularly to thank my colleagues Mr. N. F. Mirza, Mr. Tribhuvandas [illegible]lidas, and Mr. Murarji A. Tana, who have been of invaluable help to me.

[illegible]WAN OFFICE:
1st May 1907.

PRABHASHANKER D. PATTANI,
Dewan, Bhavnagar State.

Appendices I. to XXXIII.

(In rounding off figures fractions, annas and pies have been omitted; consequently a slight discrepancy may sometimes occur in additions and subtractions.)

APPENDIX I.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Names of High Officials showing changes in the Personnel during the year 1906-07.

Designation of Place.	Name of Holder of Substantive Appointment.	Date of Appointment.	Cause of Vacancy.	Name of Holder of Acting Appointment.	Remarks.
Chief Dewan	Prabhashanker D. Pattani	24-2-02	.....	.....	
Naib Dewan	Ratilal Chhotelal Desai	5-7-05	Retired from service.	.....	
	Tribhuvandas Kalidas *	19-4-06	.....	.....	
Judicial Assistant	Nasarwanji Framji Mirza, B. A., LL. B. ...	22-9-04	.....	.....	* Under the designation of Revenue Assistant.
Personal Assistant	Murarji A. Tana, B. A., LL. B.	12-7-06	.....	.....	
State Engineer	E. W. Proctor-Sims	1-10-98	On leave without pay from 29-3-05.	Bhukhandas Iccharam, L. C. E. Perozsha D. Mirza.	
Revenue Commissioner	Raol Shri Dansinhji	16-11-03	On leave without pay from 29-3-06.	Edulii J. Sanjana.	
Chief Judge	Munchersha N. R. Ranina	22-9-04	.....	.....	
Superintendent of State Expenses ...	Rana Shri Kalubha Kaliansinhji ...	8-9-99	.....	.....	
Hazur Aid-de-Camp	Do.	1-8-97	.....	.....	
Rajyaprakarni Court Officer	Bhupatrai Vithaldas	1-9-99	.....	.....	
Chief Medical Officer	Dr. Shivnath Ramnath, L. M. & S. ...	14-12-03	.....	.....	
Chief Vakil with the Agent to the Governor	Manishanker G. Bhatt, B. A., LL. B. ...	1-12-03	.....	.....	
[illegible]ector of Education	Manishanker Ratanji Bhat, B. A. ...	19-4-06	.....	.....	
[illegible]ipal, Samaldas College	Kavasji J. Sanjana, M. A.	5-4-05	.....	.....	
[illegible]r of State Accounts... ...	Ratilal Chhotelal Desai	2-7-96	Retired from service.	.....	
	Burjorji A. Entee, B. A.	26-12-06	.....	.....	
[illegible]manding Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers	Jorawarsinhji Harisinhji, Lieutenant ...	4-7-05	.....	.....	
[illegible]udent	Meruji D. Chudasama, B. A., LL. B. ...	12-12-03	Resigned.	.....	
	Vishwanath Ranchhodji Joshi ...	22-11-06	.....	.....	
[illegible]	Najarali Sheriff Nathani. B. A., LL. B. ...	30-6-06	.....	.....	
[illegible]ing Bhavnagar [illegible]	Rana Shri Nanbha Kaliansinhji	8-3-00	.....	.....	

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APPENDIX II.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Laws and Rules in force in 1906-07.

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Act No. I. of Samvat 1920 (so far as it stands unrepealed).	Criminal Procedure Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Act III. of 1922. (2) Reso. No. 56 of 1944. (3) ,, 144 of 1945. (4) ,, 108 of 1960.	.....	
Act No. II. of Samvat 1920 (so far as it stands unrepealed).	Limitation and Legal Practitioners...	.....	
Act No. I. of Samvat 1923.	Regulating the Fees of Legal Practitioners.	.....	
Act No. II. of Samvat 1923.	Stamp Law ... ... Amended by— Act No. II. of Samvat 1941.	.....	
Resolution No. 1*a* of Samvat 1923, dated 22-11-66.	Prohibiting Alienation of Alienated Lands. Supplemented by— Resolution No. 48 of 1945.		
Act I. of Samvat 1927..	Municipal Law ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 1*b* of 1929, dated 28-2-73 (2) ,, 99 of 1944. (3) ,, 15 of 1948. (4) ,, 22 ,, (5) ,, 33 of 1951. (6) ,, 51 ,, (7) ,, 93 ,, (8) ,, 129 of 1952. (9) ,, 14 of 1955. (10) ,, 25 of 1958. (11) ,, 242 of 1961. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 22 of 1950. (2) ,, 143 of 1950. (3) ,, 84 ,, (4) ,, 40 of 1951. (5) ,, 280 ,, (6) ,, 50 ,, (7) ,, 10 of 1952. (8) ,, 15 ,, (9) ,, 15 of 1953.	.....	

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. I. of 1927	Customs Law* ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 106 of 1932. (2) „ „ 114 of 1939. (3) „ „ 981 of 1945. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 25 of 1949. (2) Port & Dock Estate Rules of 1952, dated 26-10-96. (3) Reso. No. 1717 of 1962.	..... Adapted.	
Resolution No. 12 of Samvat 1930.	Prohibiting Darbari Servants from dealing with Grasias, &c., or trading. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 38 of St. 1946 (2) „ „ 28 „ 1948.	.....	
Resolution No. 803 of Samvat 1930.	Prevention of Frauds in the Cotton Trade in Bhavnagar.	.....	
Resolution No. 1091 of Samvat 1930.	Prevention of Frauds in the Cotton Trade in Mahuwa.	.....	
Resolution No. 198 of Samvat 1931.	Regulating Import of Lead and Saltpetre.	.....	
Act III. of Samvat 1938.	Inspection of Steam-boilers and Prime movers.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 1c of Samvat 1939, dated 30-10-83.	Salt-Law ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 125 of 1951. (2) „ „ 90 of 1952.	„	
Act II. of Samvat 1940.	Registration Law	„	
Act I. of Samvat 1941.	Succession Certificate and Letters of Administration.	„	
Resolution No. 1278 of Samvat 1943.	Inquiry into and Settlement of Alienated Lands, &c.	.....	
Resolution No. 106 of Samvat 1944.	Examination of Candidates for Clerical Service.	.....	
Resolution No. 238 of Samvat 1945.	Petitions against Darbari Servants and their inquiry.	.....	
Resolution No. 381 of Samvat 1945.	Grant-in-aid to Private Schools ...	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1946.	Prevention of Cruelty to Animals ...		

* *(a)* With regard to trade to and from foreign ports, the customs tariff i...

(b) The working of the customs houses and the methods and arrang... duties are on the same lines as those obtaining at British I...

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Act III. of Samvat 1946.	Public Conveyances	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 660 of Samvat 1946.	Leave Rules ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 14 of 1955. (2) ,, ,, 6 of 1957.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1947...	Court-fees Act ... ... Bye-rules—Reso. No. 64 of 1955.	Adapted.	
Act III. of Samvat 1947.	Prevention of Gambling ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 22 of 1952. (2) ,, ,, 1 of 1956.	,,	
Resolution No. 95 of Samvat 1947.	Regulating the Police of Giras and Alienated Villages.	.....	
Resolution No. 336 of Samvat 1947.	Regulating Fees to be charged by Medical Officers of the State. Supplemented by Reso. No. 24 of 1961.	.....	
Resolution No. 156 of Samvat 1947.	Prohibiting Darbari Servants from accepting presents from subordinates	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1948...	Penal Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 93 of 1950. (2) ,, ,, 268 of 1951. (3) ,, ,, 2 of 1952. (4) ,, ,, 107 ,, (5) ,, ,, 108 of 1960.	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1948.	Police Act ... ... (1) Bye-rules, Reso. No. 264 of 1950. (2) ,, ,, ,, 193 of 1953. (3) ,, ,, ,, 226 of 1954. (4) ,, ,, ,, 53 of 1959.		
[illegible] Samvat 1948.	Revenue Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 1602 of 1955. (2) ,, ,, 725 of 1956. (3) ,, ,, 375 of 1958. ( ) ,, ,, 376 of ,, ,, ,, 1070 of 1961.		

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. 30 of Samvat 1948.	Constitution, &c., of Criminal Courts.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 13 of Samvat 1948.	Military Rules ... ... Supplemented by Reso. No. 17 of 1951.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1949.	Civil Procedure Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 134 of 1951. (2) ,, ,, 1602 of 1955. Bye-rules ,, ,, 64 of 1955.	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1949.	Civil Courts Act	,,	
Act I. of Samvat 1952...	Factories Act	,,	
Resolution No. 127 of Samvat 1952.	Offences against the Post Office and Savings Bank.	,,	
Resolution No. 330 of Samvat 1952.	Plague Inspection and Quarantine Supplemented by— (1) No. 51 of 1953. (2) ,, 63 ,, ,, (3) ,, 66 ,, ,, (4) ,, 14 ,, ,, (5) ,, 7 of 1954. (6) ,, 1 of 1955. (7) ,, 2 ,, ,, (8) ,, 11 ,, ,, (9) ,, 1 of 1956.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1953...	Game-Laws	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1953.	Account Code ... ... Amended by Reso. No. 225 of 1955.	.....	
Resolution No. 43 of Samvat 1953.	Famine Code...	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 8 of Samvat 1953.	Printing Presses ... ... Supplemented by No. 11 of 1953.	,	
Resolution No. 15 of Samvat 1953.	Registration of Deaths	.....	
Resolution No. 14 of Samvat 1953.	Registration of Births and Deaths ...	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1954..	Compulsory Service	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1955...	Cattle-Trespass	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 8 of Samvat 1955.	Prohibiting Alienation of Lands and Haks by Bhayats and Mul-grasias.		

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. 1366 of Samvat 1955.	Establishment of the Rajyaprakarni Daftar for the disposal of disputes of Bhayats and Mul-grasias, &c. Amended by Reso. No. 1534 of 1955.	.....	
Resolution No. 1709 of Samvat 1955.	Excise Duty on Woven Goods ... Amended by— Reso. No. 328 of 1957.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 1301 of Samvat 1955.	Boundary Marks	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1956..	Paupers and Vagrants ... ... Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 3 of 1956. (2) „ „ 7 „ „	.....	
Resolution No. 317 of Samvat 1957.	Passenger Ships	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 96 of Samvat 1957.	Explosives	.....	
Resolution No. 192 of Samvat 1957.	Opium Law ... ... Supplemented by Reso. No. 1292 of 1958.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 7 of Samvat 1958.	Darbar Savings Bank	.....	
Resolution No. 13 of Samvat 1958.	Pension	.....	
Resolution No. 1489 of Samvat 1958.	Regulating the levy of *Khushki Jakat.*	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1960..	State Bonds Act	.....	
Resolution No. 299 of Samvat 1960.	Summary Disposal of certain mercantile disputes. Amended with regard to Stamp Duty by Reso. No. 74 of 1960. Bye-rules, Reso No. 1071 of 1961.	.....	
Resolution No. 118 of Samvat 1961.	Controlling Sale of Cocaine and Morphia.	.....	

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APPENDIX III.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, and Other Particulars of the Imperial Service Lancers for 1906-07.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.								Details of Force at end of the Current Year.				Total cost on account of pay and allowance of the Force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the Current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of Guns.	Number of Men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, Deserted, &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
													Rs	
Imperial Service Troops ...	293	26	2	...	43	274	B. I. S. L.	*Nil.*	...	11	30	233	1,62,916	This sum includes Rs 12,400 given to the Regimental. Grass Fund by the State which sum would otherwise fall under forage compensation.

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APPENDIX **III-A.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, and other Particulars of the Infantry or Armed Police for 1906-07.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.						Details of Force at the end of the Current Year.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the Force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of Guns.	Number of Men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, Deserted, &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
Artillery	18	...	...	...	...	18	B. S. I.	6	...	...	...	18	54,933	There is no separate artillery in the State. The duties are performed by a party of the Infantry specially trained for the purpose.
Infantry	261	42	9	...	37	257		...	...	8	33	216		
Total... ...	279	42	9	...	37	275	...	6	...	8	33	234	54,933	

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APPENDIX IV.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, Discipline and Education of the Police for the year 1906 07.

Description of Office.	Number.	Pay of Grade.	Horse Allowance.	Total Monthly Cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education.		Remarks.
					Dismissed	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By Promotion.	By Money.	Number able to read and write	Number under instruction.	
		Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Police Superintendent	1	300 0 0	60 0 0	360 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Assistant Police Superintendent...	1	140 0 0	40 0 0	180 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
First Class Fojdars	3	50 0 0	20 0 0	200 0 0	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	One Fojdar works as Shirastedar, does not get allowance, but gets 10 Rs personal allowance.
Second „	3	40 0 0	20 0 0	180 0 0	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	
Third „	3	35 0 0	20 0 0	165 0 0	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	
Fourth „	4	30 0 0	20 0 0	180 0 0	...	3	...	2	...	4	...	One Fojdar works as Accountant Fojdar, and does not get allowance.
First Class Naib Fojdars ...	6	25 0 0	5 0 0	180 0 0	...	5	...	1	...	6	...	
Second „	13	20 0 0	5 0 0	320 0 0	1	11	...	1	...	13	...	One Naib Fojdar works as a Clerk, and does not get allowance.
Third „	7	15 0 0	5 0 0	140 0 0	...	6	...	...	...	7	...	
Jamadars...	22	15 0 0	...	333 0 0	...	5	...	3	...	21	1	One Jamadar getting Rs. 3 as personal allowance.
Havaldars	77	12 0 0	...	924 0 0	1	6	...	4	2	64	9	
First Class Constables	70	10 0 0	...	700 0 0	5	25	...	6	1	65	15	
Second „	135	9 0 0	...	1,395 0 0	6	44	...	12	1	76	37	
Third „	244	8 0 0	...	1,952 0 0	18	96	...	13	1	59	25	
Faras	1	4 8 0	...	4 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Boy	1	8 0 0	...	8 0 0	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	
Chowkidars	75	4 to 9 0 0	...	467 0 0	5	12	...	5	...	...	...	The salary of Daffedars and Sowars includes horse-allowance.
Daffedars	5	32 0 0	...	160 0 0	...	...	...	1	...	5	...	
Sowars, Class I.	15	27 0 0	...	405 0 0	...	...	...	2	...	11	...	
„ II.	15	26 0 0	...	390 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	
„ III.	16	25 0 0	...	400 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	
Sandhani Sowar	1	22 0 0	...	22 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total... ...	738	...	...	9,095 8 0	36			56	5	382	87	

Rs 9,056-8-0 × 12 = Rs 1,03,786 annual cost of

„ 10,171 Contingent,

Rs 1,18,957 Total

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APPENDIX V.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the working of the Police during the year 1906-07.

1 Number of offences.		2 Number of accused arrested.		3 Number of accused sent for trial.		4 Number of accused convicted.		5 Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		6 Percentage of convictions to arrests (columns 2 & 4).		7 Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		8 Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
592	453	660	593	655	588 1 of last year 589	487	427	168	152	73·88	72	74·35	72·49	

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APPENDIX **VI.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the value of property stolen and amount of recoveries during the year 1906—07.

Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Percentage of recoveries of property stolen.		Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
Rs a. p. 14,865 10 9	Rs 6,373	Rs a. p. 7,356 4 0	Rs 4,573	49·5	71·75	

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APPENDIX VII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Number of Crimes committed, Number of Cases disposed of, and Cases awaiting trial in the year 1906-07.

Tribunals.	DESCRIPTION AND NUMBER OF OFFENCES.											Number of cases disposed of during past year.	Number of cases disposed of during present year.	Number of persons apprehended.	Number of persons convicted.	NUMBER OF PERSONS SENTENCED.						Number of persons acquitted or discharged.	Number of Persons confined being insane.	Number of persons committed to Sessions Court.	Number of persons died during or before trial.	TERM OF IMPRISONMENT.									Capital Punishment.	Awaiting Trial.
	Balance from the past year.	COMMITTED DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.														IMPRISONMENT.		IMPRISONMENT AND FINE.		Fine	Whipping.	Total.					Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Transportation.		
		Murder.	Culpable Homicide not amounting to Murder.	Grievous Hurt.	Hurt.	Dacoity.	Robbery.	House-breaking.	Theft.	Miscellaneous.	Total.					Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.																	
Chief Judge's Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	6	...	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	3
Joint Chief Judge's Court...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	30	3	24	...	21	1	1	...	1	24	18	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	3	3	2	3	4	...	...	7
Bhavnagar Foujdari Court...	...	2	...	14	101	...	2	24	98	1,679	1,920	1,327	1,411	1,768	1,185	6	46	11	26	1,093	3	1,185	562	...	14	2	50	16	7	8	6	2	...	...	...	...	5
Mahuva Court	...	...	1	9	162	...	...	10	64	341	587	155	120	529	107	1	46	1	10	49	...	107	409	...	9	1	9	19	6	11	8	4	1	...	...	...	3
Kundla „	...	2	1	5	80	...	2	12	44	192	338	83	54	228	72	...	3	1	19	47	2	72	143	...	13	...	8	14	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Talaja „	...	...	2	...	43	...	...	2	14	139	200	41	40	161	30	...	5	2	...	15	8	30	119	...	12	...	3	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lilia „	...	...	1	...	24	...	1	4	7	30	67	39	39	43	12	...	3	...	...	9	...	12	27	...	4	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sihor „	...	...	...	2	45	...	2	1	23	119	192	54	29	153	58	10	8	...	4	35	1	58	95	...	...	...	7	4	1	4	5	1	...	...	...	...	...
Umrala „	...	1	...	2	35	...	...	...	12	84	134	54	59	86	12	...	1	...	...	11	...	12	67	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gadhada „	...	...	...	...	39	...	1	3	10	63	116	32	44	163	32	...	2	...	4	26	...	32	130	...	1	...	5	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Botad „	...	1	...	3	27	...	3	4	12	34	84	40	12	75	30	...	5	2	4	19	...	30	40	...	3	...	1	...	4	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	2
Total.....	...	6	5	35	556	...	11	60	234	2,681	3,638	1,870	1,844	3,209	1,507	17	145	18	68	1,304	15	1,567	1,615	...	60	5	84	57	21	26	25	14	4	9	6	...	2	22

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APPENDIX VIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Number of Offences reported and dealt with by the various Courts during the year 1906-07.

—	Number of offences reported during the year.		Number of Persons dealt with.								Persons disposed of.					Persons remaining at the end of year.	Remarks.
			Remaining at the end of the last year.	Brought to trial in 1906-1907.							Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.		
	Past Year.	Present Year.		Arrested by Police.	Upon Warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntary.	Brought before Magistrate by extradition.	Total. Past Year.	Total. Present Year.							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Chief Judge's Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	*	4	1	5	...	...	3	* Exclusive of 13 committed by lower Courts.
Joint Chief Judge's Court	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	11	3†	...	418	24	...	1	7	† Do. 47 do.
Bhavnagar Foujdari Court	1,708	1,920	1	253	129	1,380	...	5	1,677	1,768	73	489	1,185	14	2	5	
Mahuva Court ...	769	587	25	88	87	325	..	4	706	529	303	106	107	9	1	3	
Kundla „ ...	276	238	4	59	10	147	3	5	220	228	60	83	72	13	...	...	
Talaja „ ...	191	200	3	33	14	105	1	...	163	161	71	48	30	12	...	...	
Lilia „ ...	111	67	3	‡20	11	8	...	1	68	43	14	13	12	4	...	...	‡ Inclusive of 3 arrested by Abkari Inspector.
Sihor „ ...	185	192	...	49	36	61	4	3	157	153	78	17	58	...	...	...	
Umrala „ ...	165	134	...	38	14	34	...	...	128	86	10	57	12	4	1	2	
Gadhada „ ...	95	116	12	13	17	116	...	5	93	163	73	57	32	1	...	...	
Botad „ ...	88	84	...	34	5	33	...	3	87	75	7	33	30	3	...	2	
Total ...	3,583	3,638	51	592	323	2,209	8	26	3,305	3,209	693	922	1,567	60	5	22	

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APPENDIX IX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Results of Appeals against Decisions passed by the Criminal Courts during the year 1906-07.

Tribunals.	Number of Applications.	NUMBER OF PERSONS AND CASES.																		Remarks.
		Applications rejected.		Sentences.						Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further Enquiry, &c., Ordered.		Pending.				
				Confirmed.		Modified.		Reversed.												
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	
... ...	8	...	...	5	4	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2			
Court	74	...	...	69	42	16	14	31	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2			
Total	82	...	...	74	46	17	15	32	17	...	...	...	...	...	....	10	4			

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APPENDIX X.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

CIVIL WORK.—Nature and Value of Original Suits filed and disposed of in the Year 1906-07.

	Opening balance.		Filed during the year, received by transfer or on remand.		Total.		Disposed of during the year.		Closing balance.		Suits filed during present Year.									Suits disposed of during present Year.							Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value.	Suits re-hauled previously.	Suits for money transactions.	Suits for other rights.	Number of suits under Rs. 100.	Number of suits above Rs. 100 and under Rs. 500.	Number of suits above Rs. 500 and under Rs. 1,000.	Number of suits above Rs. 1,000 and under Rs. 5,000.	Number of suits above Rs. 5,000.	Ex-parte.	Admitted and compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.	Average Duration.	
											Rs a. p.													Rs a. p.	Y. m. d.	
Chief Judge's Court ...	2	1	...	1	2	2	1	...	1	2	15,500 0 0	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Joint Chief Judge's Court	7	6	5	5	12	11	6	2	6	9	20,023 0 0	...	3	3	...	1	...	1	3	...	2	...	...	329 0 0	0 10 13	
Bhavnagar Civil Judge.	61	69	1,277	1,203	1,338	1,272	1,269	1,208	69	64	1,45,908 0 0	28	1,139	45	829	258	37	19	...	396	344	49	569	1,45,390 0 0	0 1 18·63	
Mahuva Court ...	43	61	882	1,183	925	1,244	864	1,149	61	95	94,832 0 0	6	1,164	13	962	190	18	13	...	407	466	...	276	86,613 0 0	0 2 15	
Kundla „ ...	28	7	432	638	460	645	453	637	7	8	63,603 0 0	...	635	3	511	102	15	10	...	198	308	1	130	65,964 0 0	0 1 24·61	
Lilia „ ...	9	1	115	295	124	296	123	289	1	7	36,573 0 0	...	294	1	215	64	7	9	...	126	54	26	83	34,216 0 0	0 1 4·6	
Talaja „ ...	20	6	282	353	302	359	296	341	6	18	27,824 0 0	1	350	2	271	72	9	1	...	132	209	...	...	27,824 0 0	0 2 3·06	
Sihor „ ...	12	10	302	340	314	350	304	329	10	21	40,439 0 0	6	330	4	260	66	10	4	...	115	110	52	52	43,583 0 0	0 1 17·3	
Umrala „ ...	5	5	217	321	222	326	217	322	5	4	22,106 0 0	1	319	1	272	44	4	1	...	69	177	...	76	22,081 0 0	0 1 4·5	
Gadhada „ ...	2	2	178	236	180	238	178	236	2	2	20,734 0 0	...	233	3	195	32	8	1	...	46	76	37	77	20,734 0 0	0 0 28·6	
Botad „ ...	5	...	241	364	246	364	246	343	...	21	37,064 0 0	2	357	5	276	73	11	4	...	93	110	73	67	28,045 0 0	0 1 6	
Total ...	194	168	3,931	4,939	4,125	5,107	3,957	4,856	168	251	5,29,656 0 0	45	4,815	79	3,851	902	119	63	4	1,492	1,856	238	1,270	4,74,770 0 0	0 2 13·5	

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APPENDIX XI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

CIVIL WORK.—Results of Applications for Execution of Decrees in the year 1906-07.

Tribunals.	Opening Balance.		Value of Opening Balance for present year.	Applications brought to the Register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing Balance.			Nature of Applications pending disposal at the close of the year.			Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Below 6 Months.	Below 12 Months.	Above 12 Months.	
			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.				
Chief Judge's Court ...	...	4	43,887 12 2		5	75,923 3 10	5	8	1,19,811 0 0	1	5	93,623 0 0	4	3	26,188 0 0	...	2	1	
Joint Chief Judge's Court	...	12	59,021 1 2		20	38,826 14 10	20	23	97,848 0 0	8	9	14,042 0 0	12	14	83,806 0 0	...	3	11	
Bhavnagar Civil Judge's Court	225	200	1,48,261 11 4	1,326	1,519	2,03,492 4 8	1,551	1,719	3,51,753 0 0	1,351	1,496	2,45,452 0 0	200	223	1,06,301 0 0	83	57	83	
Mahuva Court ...	92	85	57,643 2 8	5,235	2,221	3,83,101 13 4	1,327	2,306	4,46,745 0 0	1,242	1,973	3,12,092 0 0	85	333	1,28,653 0 0	220	75	38	
Kundla „	293	118	51,481 7 5	789	1,463	2,63,910 8 7	1,082	1,581	3,15,392 0 0	964	1,355	2,05,710 0 0	118	326	1,09,682 0 0	242	70	14	
Lilia „	1	9	2,736 15 10	788	779	96,952 0 2	189	788	99,689 0 0	180	778	56,668 0 0	9	210	43,021 0 0	193	9	8	
Talaja „	59	66	43,187 4 11	655	868	81,909 11 1	714	934	1,25,097 0 0	648	735	5,188 0 0	66	199	1,19,909 0 0	151	16	32	
Sihor „	34	44	13,473 3 11	385	602	97,326 12 1	419	646	1,10,800 0 0	375	610	80,804 0 0	44	136	29,996 0 0	95	22	19	
Umrala „	128	52	18,822 10 4	327	597	78,718 5 8	455	649	97,541 0 0	403	597	46,049 0 0	52	252	51,492 0 0	173	40	39	
Gadhada „	13	21	28,569 11 9	218	462	88,091 4 3	231	483	1,16,651 0 0	210	410	72,596 0 0	21	173	44,055 0 0	156	11	6	
Botad „	37	10	1,700 5 1	464	988	1,28,555 10 11	501	998	1,30,256 0 0	491	978	68,539 0 0	10	420	61,717 0 0	405	11	4	
Total ...	882	621	4,68,774 6 7	5,612	9,514	15,36,808 9 5	6,494	10,135	20,05,583 0 0	5,873	7,846	12,00,763 0 0	621	2,289	8,04,820 0 0	1,718	316	255	

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APPENDIX XII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

CIVIL WORK.—Number and Results of Appeals in Civil Suits in the year 1906—07.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during		Total.		Disposed of during		Closing balance.		Value of Appeals filed during		How disposed of.										Average Duration.	
													Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for re trial.		Cases compromised and otherwise disposed of.			
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.
											Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.											Y. m. d.	Y. m. d.
t	16	5	19	16	35	21	30	15	5	6	14,002 12 0	4,550 0 0	21	9	3	2	2	4	2	...	2	...	0 8 0	0 11 14·8
ourt ...	15	16	41	44	56	60	40	44	16	16	6,022 15 9	6,774 0 0	24	24	3	9	9	2	1	1	3	8	0 5 22·67	0 7 29·25
ge's	34	23	125	141	159	164	136	118	23	46	26,288 10 10	21,551 0 0	62	57	31	22	29	22	3	11	11	6	0 6 3·23	0 5 5·67
	65	44	185	201	250	245	206	177	44	68	46,914 6 7	32,875 0 0	107	90	37	33	40	28	6	12	16	14	0 6 18·63	0 8 6·33

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APPENDIX **XIII.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Number of Persons confined in the Jails and Lock-ups in the year 1906-07.

Stations.	Number of Prisons.	Number of Prisoners.				Daily Average.		Number of Prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total Cost of Jail and Prisoners.	Average period of accused under trial.	Remarks showing Mortality among Convicts in Jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total. Past year.	Total. Present year.	Past year.	Present year.				
									Rs a. p.	Days.	
Bhavnagar Central Jail.	1	133	184	353	317	144·5	134·6	132	12.352 0 0	...	Three died during the year.
Mahuva	1	...	79	78	79	·246	3·16	1	836 0 0	3·86	
Kundla	1	7	25	49	32	·218	1·98	...	736 0 0	4 04	
Lilia	1	...	6	18	6	·318	1·30	...	426 0 0	7·41	
Talaja	1	1	33	27	34	·84	·84	...	634 0 0	1·01	
Sihor	1	...	22	20	22	·53	·56	...	581 0 0	2.01	
Umrala	1	...	6	14	6	·35	·11	...	593 0 0	1·16	
Gadhada	1	...	8	12	8	·59	·2	...	561 0 0	88·14	
Botad	1	...	91	28	91	·59	2·11	...	690 0 0	6·92	
Bhavnagar Lock-up	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	16·49	
Total... ..	9	141	454	599	595	153·358	143·69	133	17,409 0 0	7·17	

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APPENDIX XIV.

Registration of Documents in the Bhavnagar State during the year 1906—07.

Name of State.	Documents presented for Registration.		Nature of Documents presented.										Documents Registered.		Value of Documents Registered.				Documents of which Registry has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		Remarks.
			Mortgages.		Sale-deeds.		Wills.		Money Bonds.		Miscellaneous.												
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.		Present year.		Past year.	Present year	Past year.	Present year.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Rs a. p.		Rs a. p.		No.	No.	No.	No.	
Bhavangar Civil Judge's Court ...	284	290	189	160	4	17	14	16	10	16	67	81	284	290	94,442	0 0	72,489	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Mahuva Court	201	139	127	84	6	6	9	7	18	17	41	25	201	139	93,254	0 0	74,893	0 0	1	...	1	...	
Kundla „	122	49	112	44	7	4	2	...	1	1	...	...	122	49	42,480	0 0	22,255	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Lilia „	9	3	9	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	3	3,220	0 0	1,725	0 0	...	...	...	...	
[illegible]a „	36	29	28	21	1	1	...	2	7	...	...	5	36	29	16,406	0 0	6,943	0 0	...	...	...	...	
[illegible] „	127	102	87	58	11	13	4	2	7	5	18	24	127	102	37,756	0 0	27,446	0 0	...	...	...	...	
[illegible] „	43	27	39	20	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	6	43	27	12,213	0 0	8,103	0 0	...	...	...	...	
[illegible]	17	22	15	12	2	2	...	1	...	4	...	3	17	22	9,940	0 0	10,763	0 0	...	...	...	...	
[illegible]	66	31	61	22	1	6	..	...	...	1	4	2	66	31	27,256	0 0	7,873	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	905	692	667	423	32	51	29	28	43	44	134	146	905	692	3,36,967	0 0	2,32,490	0 0	1	...	1	...	

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APPENDIX **XIV—A.**

Deeds relating to immoveable property registered by the Revenue Department during the year 1906–07.

District.	Last Year 1905-06.			Present year 1906-07.		
	Number of Documents.	Aggregate Value.	Amount of Chowth.	Number of Documents.	Aggregate Value.	Amount of Chowth.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Daskrohi	247	1,68,452	5,086	264	1,95,116	5,909
Sihor	27	12,271	413	44	16,863	516
Umrala	8	1,904	57	8	805	24
Gadhada	28	6,242	208	30	10,211	322
Botad	35	12,672	380	22	7,991	237
Lilia	1	100	3	3	640	19
Kundla	72	20,234	628	38	8,191	246
Mahuva	83	48,793	1,464	82	41,883	1,257
Talaja	16	5,887	177	29	13.099	430
Port Victor	13	5,971	179	19	6,727	205
Total ...	530	2,82,527	8,595	539	3,01,436	9,165

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APPENDIX **XV.**

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Statement showing the Receipts and Expenditure on account of Registration during the year 1906-07.

Description.	Past Year.			Present Year.			Remarks.
	Number of Deeds.	Value of Property.	Fees Realized.	Number of Deeds.	Value of Property.	Fees Realized.	
	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	
Mortgages	667	2,45,177 0 0	1,709 0 0	423	1,35,978 0 0	1,015 0 0	
Sale-deeds	32	8,632 0 0	69 0 0	51	49,826 0 0	144 0 0	
Wills	29	6,431 0 0	104 0 0	28	4,751 0 0	130 0 0	
[illegible]oney-Bonds	43	18,349 0 0	76 0 0	44	19,172 0 0	75 0 0	
[illegible]laneous	134	58,378 0 0	327 0 0	146	22,763 0 0	435 0 0	
Total... ...	905	3,36,967 0 0	2,285 0 0	692	2,32,490 0 0	1,799 0 0	
[illegible]Deduct Expenditure... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Net Profit... ...	...	...	2,285 0 0	...	...	1,799 0 0	

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APPENDIX XVI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Receipts and Expenditure of the Municipalities in the years 1905-06 and 1906-07.

Name of Municipality.	Receipts in		Expenditure in	
	1905-06.	1906-07.	1905-06.	1906-07.
	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.
Municipal President's Office	...	...	1,107 0 0	1,265 0 0
Bhavnagar City Municipality	53,100 0 0	49,926 0 0	61,045 0 0	63,744 0 0
Mahuva do.	2,211 0 0	1,998 0 0	7,833 0 0	7,865 0 0
Kundla do.	33 0 0	48 0 0	4,314 0 0	4,511 0 0
Sihor do.	305 0 0	428 0 0	4,417 0 0	4,589 0 0
Botad do.	287 0 0	334 0 0	2,514 0 0	2,269 0 0
Total of those in charge of the Municipal President	55,936 0 0	52,734 0 0	81,230 0 0	84,243 0 0
Gadhada Municipality	...	...	1,350 6 5	1,524 8 1
Umrala do.	...	...	1,550 13 10	1,583 15 3
Talaja do.	...	...	1,318 10 5	1,316 14 11
Rajula do.	...	...	1,090 3 8	1,163 11 11
Lilia do.	...	...	701 9 2	816 15 2
Grand Total	...	...	87,241 11 6	90,649 1 4

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APPENDIX **XVII.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement of Rainfall in 1906-07.

District.	April 1906.	May 1906.	June 1906.	July 1906.	August 1906.	September 1906.	October 1906.	November 1906.	December 1906.	January 1907.	February 1907.	March 1907.	Total.	Total of past year.	Average of past five years.	Remarks.
Bhavnagar	...	...	6·87	7·30	3·92	0·92	0·26	...	...	...	1·31	...	20·58	14·6	18·51	
Sihor	...	...	9·81	8·81	5·13	2·57	0·6	...	...	...	0·25	...	26·63	12·10	17·68	
Mahuva	...	...	7·47	4·44	4·67	1·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	17·93	12·25	15·6	
Kundla	...	...	3·94	5·44	8·99	2·20	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	21·9	7·74	11·49	
Lilia	...	...	5·41	13·67	6·76	1·55	0 6	...	...	...	...	...	27·45	9·52	15·63	
Imrala	...	0·15	9 80	3·97	3·21	2·22	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	19·78	18·53	23·11	
... ...	...	...	5·25	12·93	2·60	3·11	0·89	...	...	...	0·5	...	24·83	22·72	17·4	
... ...	...	...	3·6	8·53	3·81	1·49	0·6	...	...	...	0·1	...	16·96	15·40	15·6	
... ...	...	...	5·53	9·88	4·34	3·14	0·43	...	·3	...	0·10	...	23·72	12·21	20·62	
... ...	...	...	5·84	3·13	4·96	1·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	15·78	7·14	12·40	
le State...	...	0·01	6·29	7·89	4·84	2 04	·27	...	·03	...	·17	...	22·65	12·96	16·66	

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APPENDIX **XVII—A.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative table of Rainfall in the various Districts for eight years ending 1906-07.

Districts.	Samvat year-1955.	Samvat year 1956.	Samvat year 1957.	Samvat year 1958.	Samvat year 1959.	Samvat year 1960	Samvat year 1961.	Samvat year 1962.	Average per District.
Bhavnagar City ...	7·7	38·15	17·3	24·29	26·12	14·12	14·6	19·27	20·1
Sihor	7·32	29·80	11·67	27 23	23·77	9·42	12·19	26·38	18·43
Mahuwa	11·78	26·38	14 4	14·23	23·77	5·93	12·34	18·5	15·81
Kundla	8·8	34·35	10 30	13·15	16·50	8 36	10·41	21·8	15·90
Lilia	4·51	29·70	11·44	24·12	26·31	8·64	9·44	27·50	17·70
Umrala	7·52	25·52	13·60	31·73	40·98	12·57	19·3	20·18	21·39
Botad	3·34	29·84	9·78	19·96	23·84	8·8	22·41	25·45	17·83
Gadhada	7·88	25·25	10·43	22 5	23·78	9·24	13·6	16·95	16·8
Talaja	8·69	33·8	16·51	30·25	36·55	7·59	12·21	23·62	21·68
Port Albert Victor...	9.42	23·41	10·55	23·83	21·58	4·96	7·32	15·78	14·60
Average for the whole State	7·69	30·12	12·59	23·62	26·32	8·96	13·38	21·42	17·97

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APPENDIX XVIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing Monthly Average Prices of Food-stuffs for five years ending with March 1907.

Month.	1902-03.				1903-04.				1904-05.				1905-06.				1906-07.			
	Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee.			
	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.
April	21	28	32	20	27	32	40	20	32	34	42	20	22	26	32	20	19	20	25	16
May	21	26	32	20	30	38	44	20	30	33	42	20	20	22	25	18	19	20	25	16
June	20	25	28	20	27	32	40	20	32	32	50	20	20	20	24	15	19	21	26	16
July	19	26	25	18	28	32	42	20	32	32	50	20	20	22	24	16	20	22	27	16
August	20	25	27	20	30	42	40	20	30	30	45	20	22	28	32	18	21	23	28	16
September	21	24	26	20	32	42	40	20	22	27	36	20	21	21	28	17	21	23	32	16
[illegible]er	31	32	40	21	32	42	65	20	21	27	36	20	20	20	25	17	20	24	38	15
[illegible]	26	32	40	20	32	42	65	20	26	31	32	20	20	20	25	17	18	25	40	14
[illegible]	23	32	40	20	32	42	76	20	24	27	31	19	18	20	25	17	22	24	38	13
[illegible] ..	23	32	40	20	32	30	60	20	25	31	38	20	18	19	25	16	20	25	36	14
[illegible] ..	23	32	40	20	34	36	50	20	22	29	37	21	18	19	26	17	18	25	36	14
[illegible]	26	34	38	20	32	32	50	20	27	29	38	20	18	19	27	17	18	26	36	14

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APPENDIX XIX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Expenditure on Public Works during the year 1906-07.

Description of Work.	State Funds.			Local Funds.			Total.
	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Communications	...	77,781	77,781	...	...	...	77,781
Buildings...	72,724	44,818	1,17,542	...	...	...	1,17,542
Harbour Works	...	25,581	25,581	...	...	...	25,581
Water Works	...	19,213	19,213	...	...	...	19,213
Public Recreation	...	15,282	15,282	...	...	...	15,282
Miscellaneous Works	...	19,647	19,647	...	...	...	19,647
Works under Civil Departments ...	6,666	4,011	10,677	...	...	...	10,677
Grand Total ...	79,390	2,06,333	2,85,723	...	...	...	2,85,723

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APPENDIX XX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Agricultural Stock during the year 1906-07 A. D., Samvat 1962.

District.	HORSES AND CATTLE.									PLOUGHS.		CARTS.		Remarks.
	Bullocks.	Cows.	Buffaloes. Males.	Buffaloes. Females.	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies.	Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	With two Bullocks.	With four Bullocks.	Riding.	Load carrying.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.			No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Bhavnagar State ...	43,964	14,773	118	23,472	2,613			3,097	2,08,801	21,807	...	2,594	6,639	

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APPENDIX **XXI.**

Statement showing the Excise Shops and Excise Revenue of the Bhavnagar State during the year 1906-07.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Ganja.		Tari.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	
Bhavnagar	43	14,000	77	17,000	16	1,410	...	...	136	32,410	

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APPENDIX XXII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing Receipts and Disbursements during the year 1962 (Samvat).

Receipts.

Nature of Demand.	Demand. Arrears.	Demand. Current.	Demand. Total.	Collection during the current year.	Collection during the previous year.	Remission during the current year.	Balance.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cash balance at the commencement of the year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,67,967
Receipts.								
Land	35,91,803	25,90,774	61,82,577	21,99,915	8,77,338	...	30,82,662	
Customs	43,528	2,81,482	3,25,010	2,76,920	2,19,284	...	48,090	
Abkari	311	27,852	28,163	26,821	49,416	...	1,312	
Salt	96	17,648	17,744	17,619	15,909	...	125	
Taxes	24,330	54,476	78,806	56,797	52,762	...	22,009	
Law-Courts	...	74,004	74,004	74,004	76,615	...	...	
Miscellaneous	35,161	42,770	77,931	41,615	46,856	...	36,316	
Education	...	24,381	24,381	24,381	16,111	...	...	
Sudhara Varad	27,802	31,165	58,965	22,825	19,468	...	36,140	
Interest and Exchange ...	64,650	96,180	1,60,830	85,202	17,093	...	75,628	
Profit and Loss	...	4,265	4,265	4,265	155	...	...	
Printing Press	...	29,860	29,860	29,860	29,900	...	...	
Forests	...	24,612	24,612	24,612	27,765	...	...	
Najarano	3,087	115	3,202	115	68	...	3,087	
Total	37,90,768	32,99,582	70,90,350	28,84,951	14,48,747	...	42,05,399	
Previous arrears recovered ...	...	...	...	+2,65,080	+78,885	...	—2,65,080	
Total... ...	37,90,768	32,99,582	70,90,350	31,50,031	15,27,632	...	39,40,319	
Railway	...	9,87,786	9,87,786	9,87,786	9,29,032	...	...	
Grand Total ...	37,90,768	42,87,368	80,78,136	41,37,817	24,56,664	...	39,40,319	

Receipts during the year 1962 as column 5 above	41,37,817
Deposits in the Savings Bank	8,25,404
One year Fixed Deposits	11,61,340

Disbursements.

Nature of Expenditure	Budget Estimates. Current year.	Budget Estimates. Previous year.	Actual Expenditure. Curre year.	Actual Expenditure. Previous year.	Amount.
10	11	12	13	14	15
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Political (including tribute, &c.)	2,22,559	2,20,355	2,17,880	2,10,164	
Darbar (including Rajkutumb and Relatives).	3,76,865	3,79,467	3,76,743	3,64,827	
Administration	1,27,562	1,41,818	1,25,343	1,60,684	
Revenue...	4,23,499	4,14,331	3,91,812	4,10,390	
Law-Courts (including Jail, &c.)	98,255	98,420	86,554	87,620	
Police	1,17,709	1,17,746	1,07,332	1,19,198	
Education	1,45,873	1,44,009	1,37,099	1,43,155	
Medical (including Vaccination).	70,738	70,098	69,598	68,815	
Public Works (including Press, &c.)	2,27,733	2,39,506	3,18,563	2,78,448	
Municipality	89,410	85,247	91,163	74,994	
Pension	1,46,467	1,46,675	1,45,840	1,47,454	
Charities...	88,871	88,212	83,586	90,919	
Guests	13,489	12,379	30,965	1,21,899	
Public Recreation... ...	29,095	28,973	28,003	28,763	
Inam	14,870	14,870	18,647	58,152	
Conveyance	1,15,709	1,11,761	1,79,337	1,42,915	
Stud and Sick Stable ...	34,725	24,875	33,895	29,587	
Profit and Loss	...	...	17,457	22,001	
Hakdar	1,85,000	1,50,000	1,60,693	59,799	
Interest, &c.	2,20,000	2,00,000	2,11,635	1,46,369	
Imperial Service Lancers ...	1,87,260	1,30,560	1,37,531	1,19,862	
Do. Purchase of Horses.	...	...	12 985	45,492	
Infantry...	66,461	59,127	54,933	53,055	
Marriage Expenses ..	...	...	..	1,25,761	
Miscellaneous (including District tours, extra servants, &c.)	1,19,478	81,102	3,56,959	2,47,063	
Total... ...	31,21,623	29,57,531	33,97,553	33,75,326	
Railway	5,39,642	4,90,500	4,08,325	4,21,728	
Grand Total...	36,61,265	33,58,031	38,05,878	37,97,054	

Expenditure during 1962 as per Column 13	38,05,878
Railway Capital Expenditure	66,404
Amount paid by way of repayment of the Loan of 1956 ...	3,50,000
Withdrawals from the Savings Bank	7,21,111
... of one year Fixed Deposits	8,26,561
...ces to Departments and others	3,49,132
...nt in Government Promissory Notes	3,00,000
... Bombay Steam Navigation Company Shares ...	3,00,000
... the end of the year	12,73,451
Total...	79,92,537

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BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Financial Position of the State at the end of Samvat 1962.

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Particulars.	Amount.	Amount.	Particulars.	Amount.	Amount.
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
ast year	18,67,967		By Expenditure for 1962 as shown in column 13 of Statement A	...	38,05,878
ransferred to Darbar Credit, being surplus evenue including the above balance at the of 1961 ... ... Rs. 91,99,585			„ Deposits re-paid during the year—		
Less—Balance shown above ... „ 18,67,967			(*a*) B.-G.-J.-P. Railway Account	2,36,207	
	73,31,618		(*b*) Miscellaneous Deposits of Departments and others	20,257	
		91,99,585			2,56,464
„ Receipts for 1962 as shown in column 3 of Appendix **XXII**.	...	42,87,368	*Dues and Advances.*		
			„ Dues by the Districts for arrears, &c.	...	39,40,319
Debts and Liabilities.			„ Loans and advances as under :—		
„ Deposits as under :—			(*a*) Advances to Departments and others ...	3,49,132	
(*a*) Railway Provident Fund Account ...	3,91,102		(*b*) Loan to Ardeshir Kaikobad & Co.	19,500	
(*b*) Hakdars Account	2,43,553		(*c*) „ Bhayats	1,46,500	
(*c*) B.-G.-J.-P. Railway Current Account ...	2,48,211		(*d*) „ Merchants	3,96,500	
(*d*) Savings Bank Account	10,84,093				9,11,632
(*e*) Fixed Deposits Account	12,39,966		„ Debt paid—to Prabhashanker S. P. & Co. ...	...	3,50,000
(*f*) Charity and Scholarships Deposits... ...	29,100		„ Investments as under :—		
(*g*) Miscellaneous Deposits of Departments and others	2,44,910		(*a*) B.-G.-J.-P. Railway	78,86,144	
		34,80,935	(*b*) Ahmedabad-Dholka Railway Shares ...	1,00,000	
„ Debts as under :—			(*c*) Shiajee Chokolate Manufacturing Co. Shares	2,000	
(*a*) Messrs. Prabhashanker S. P. & Co., on account of Loan of 30 lacs	7,25,000		(*d*) Government Promissory Notes	3,28,100	
(*b*) Bhavnagar State Bonds	14,87,100		(*e*) Port Trust Bond	1,000	
		22,12,100	(*f*) Bombay Steam Navigation Co. Shares ...	3,00,000	
			(*g*) Sarasvati Mill Shares	25,000	86,42,244
			„ Balance	...	12,73,451
Total... ...	...	1,91,79,988	Total... ...	...	1,91,79,988

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APPENDIX XXIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement of Medical Relief afforded in the years 1905-06 and 1906-1907.

No.	Names.	Number of Patients Treated.				Result of In-Patients.								Expenditure.		Average Daily Attendance.	
		Out-Patients.		In-Patients.		1905-06.				1906-07.							
		1905-06.	1906-07.	1905-06.	1906-07.	Discharged.	Absented.	Died.	Remaining.	Discharged.	Absented.	Died.	Remaining.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1905-06.	1906-07.
														Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.		
	Chief Medical Officer's Office Establishment, &c.													9,149 2 10	8,909 0 0		
1	Bhavnagar Takhtsingjee Hospital ...	12,735	11,181	489	501	363	50	32	44	389	43	25	44	16,074 4 6	15,833 0 0	390·5	388
2	„ Jail „ ..	950	1,077	406	293	398	...	...	8	282	...	6	5	691 2 1	744 0 0	38·1	43
3	„ Sir Jasvantsingjee Dispensary...	23,758	22,620	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,481 1 0	8,880 0 0	529·9	515
4	„ Benba Naniben Female Dispensary	6,901	6,778	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2,107 2 4	2,038 0 0	138·3	138
5	„ Juwansingjee Dispensary ...	24,903	23,924	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,390 8 10	5,359 0 0	492·7	524
6	„ Imperial Lancers' „ ..	3,140	3,302	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,201 7 4	1,150 0 0	46·8	45
7	„ Darbari Aushadhalaya... ...	5,537	4,091	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	770 3 8	701 0 0	87·9	60
8	Sir Takhtsingjee Poor-house Dispensary	253	284	34	19	17	...	12	5	13	...	2	4	608 12 0	492 0 0	28·3	22
9	Mahuwa Dispensary	16,334	16,535	11	9	7	...	1	3	5	1	2	1	3,337 0 9	3,632 0 0	249·7	288
0	Sihor „	8,601	9,407	2	5	2	...	...	...	4	...	...	1	2,975 2 6	3,156 0 0	180·7	180
	Kundla „	10,648	11,366	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,956 6 0	1,790 0 0	169·3	162
	Botad „	3,163	3,637	3	1	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1,644 0 3	1,603 0 0	63·3	91
	Raja „	4,743	4,496	3	5	3	...	...	...	2	1	1	1	1,784 13 0	1,572 0 0	84·8	71
	la „	2,722	3,232	3	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,569 10 0	1,562 0 0	44·6	52
	la „	4,150	5,030	6	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,763 5 2	1,912 0 0	56·1	62
	„	3,693	3,120	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1,310 5 8	1,257 0 0	57·3	39
	„	2,663	3,862	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,276 9 10	1,356 0 0	36·5	64
	„	2,850	2,830	3	2	1	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	1,266 1 9	1,242 0 0	38·2	43
	ague Hospital... ...	...	...	3	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·1	...
	ell Dispensary ..	525	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·8	...
	y	...	317	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
	To'al... ...	138,269	137,089	965	837	799	56	49	61	699	46	36	56	63,387 3 6	63,188 0 0	2,755·9	2,793

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APPENDIX **XXIV.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Vital Statistics for the year 1906-07.

Name.	Population.	Births.		Increase.	Decrease.	Deaths.		Increase.	Decrease.	Ratio per 1000 of Population.				Remarks.
										Births.		Deaths.		
		Past year.	Present year.			Past year.	Present year.			Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	

N. B.—Figures for this year are not available.

Arrangements have been made to secure them, next year.

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APPENDIX **XXV.**

Particulars as to the Schools maintained by the Bhavnagar State for the year 1906–07.

Number of Schools.		Description of Schools.	Number of pupils on roll on 31st March.		Daily average attendence.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary.	Primary.	
1	1	High School	368	354	296	286	14,087	...	...	
5	5	First Grade Anglo-Vernacular Schools	506	755	699	641	...	14,325 0 0	...	
1	1	Majiraj Girls' School English-class..	12	11	5	11	...	3,105 0 0	...	
2	2	Grant-in-aid Schools (English) ...	196	229	162	185	...	1,554 0 0	...	
118	118	Boys' Schools	8,800	8,710	6,837	6,601	...	...	50,861 0 0	
17	17	Girls' Schools...	2,373	2,280	1,383	1,383	...	...	14,275 0 0	
3	3	Sanskrit Pathshalas	75	78	57	58	...	...	2,210 0 0	
1	1	Urdu School	132	118	94	90	...	...	760 0 0	
2	2	Grant-in-aid Vernacular Schools at Mahuva	253	287	206	230	...	...	379 0 0	

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APPENDIX **XXV-A.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement showing Attendance, Expenditure, &c., in the several Educational Institutions in the years 1905-06 and 1906-07.

1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9
Class and Name of Institution.	Number of Institutions.		No. of Pupils on Rolls on 31st March.		Average daily attendance.		Total Expenditure.		Receipts from Fees.		Net Expenditure (*i. e.*, difference of Columns 5 and 6.)		Incidence of net cost per pupil.		Remarks.
	1905-06.	1906-07.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1905-06.	1906-07.	
	No.	No,	No.	No.	No.	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	
I. Arts College—															
Samaldas College	1	1	76	77	64	66	20,041 0 0	18,453 0 0	3,403 0 0	3,323 0 0	16,638 0 0	15,135 0 0	219 0 0	197 0 0	
II. High School—															
Alfred High School	1	1	368	354	296	286	14,079 0 0	14,087 0 0	5,954 0 0	6,359 0 0	8,125 0 0	7,728 0 0	17 0 0	22 0 0	
III. Middle Schools—															
(1) Anglo Vernacular School, Bhavnagar	1	1	370	354	330	305	6,484 0 0	6,374 0 0	3,072 0 0	3,140 0 0	3,412 0 0	3,234 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	
(2) ,, ,, Mahuva ...	1	1	217	191	189	168	4,004 0 0	3,665 0 0	1,575 0 0	1,519 0 0	2,429 0 0	2,146 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	
(3) ,, ,, Sihor ...	1	1	107	96	96	82	1,976 0 0	1,887 0 0	722 0 0	644 0 0	1,254 0 0	1,243 0 0	12 0 0	13 0 0	
(4) ,, ,, Kundla ...	1	1	65	71	55	59	1,285 0 0	1,173 0 0	451 0 0	497 0 0	784 0 0	676 0 0	12 0 0	10 0 0	
(5) ,, ,, Botad ...	1	1	47	43	29	27	1,305 0 0	1,226 0 0	280 0 0	264 0 0	1,025 0 0	962 0 0	22 0 0	22 0 0	
(6) Rajula English Class	1	...	30	...	28	...	180 0 0	...	105 0 0	...	75 0 0	...	2 0 0	...	
(7) Majiraj Girls' School English Class..	1	1	12	11	5	11	2,544 0 0	3,105 0 0	195 0 0	166 0 0	2,359 0 0	2,939 0 0	14 0 0	41 0 0	
Total of Middle Schools...	7	6	848	766	6,732	652	17,788 0 0	17,430 0 0	6,400 0 0	6,230 0 0	11,338 0 0	11,200 0 0	13 0 0	15 0 0	
IV. Primary Schools—															
(1) Boys' Schools	118	118	8,800	8,710	6,837	6,601	51,890 0 0	50,861 0 0	8,096 0 0	8,344 0 0	48,794 0 0	42,517 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
(2) Girls' ,, ...	17	17	2,373	2,280	1,383	1,383	14,730 0 0	14,275 0 0	...	...	14,730 0 0	14,275 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	
(3) Sanskrit Pathshalas	3	3	75	78	57	58	2,149 0 0	2,210 0 0	...	...	2,149 0 0	2,210 0 0	29 0 0	28 0 0	
(4) Urdu School	1	1	132	118	94	90	678 0 0	760 0 0	...	...	678 0 0	760 0 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	
Total of Primary Schools...	139	139	11,380	11,186	8,371	8,132	69,447 0 0	68,106 0 0	8,096 0 0	8,344 0 0	61,531 0 0	59,762 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
V. Aided Schools—															
(1) New English School, Bhavnagar...	1	1	196	191	162	153	1,116 0 0	1,132 0 0	...	...	1,116 0 0	1,132 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	
(2) Sanatan Dharma School ,, ...	1	1	...	38	...	32	...	422 0 0	...	...	...	422 0 0	...	11 0 0	
(3) Vernacular Schools, Mahuva ...	2	2	253	287	206	220	373 0 0	379 0 0	...	...	373 0 0	379 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	
Total of Aided Schools...	4	4	449	516	368	415	1,489 0 0	1,933 0 0	...	...	1,489 0 0	1,933 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	
Total of all Educational Institutions...	152	151	13,121	12,899	9,831	9,551	1,22,795 0 0	1,20,014 0 0	23,853 0 0	24,256 0 0	98,942 0 0	95,758 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	
Inspection charges incurred on all Schools except College.	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,0								
Head-Office-Establishment.	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,418 0 0	5,435 0 0	...	...	6,048 0 0	5,435 0 0	...	...	
School Apparatus, books &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,434 0 0	5,944 0 0	...	...	4,464 0 0	5,944 0 0	...	...	
Buildings and Repairs through engineering Department.	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,212 0 0	4,311 0 0	...	...	2,442 0 0	4,311 0 0	...	...	
							16 0 0	16,127 0 0	...	...	2,246 0 0	16,127 0 0	...	...	
Grand Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	1,51,831 0 0	23,853 0 0	24,256 0 0	1,14,142 0 0	1,27,375 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	

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APPENDIX **XXV-B.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Private Schools in 1906-07.

1. The Khoja Boys' School at Bhavnagar.
2. „ Girls' „ „
3. „ Boys' „ Mahuva.
4. The Jain Girls' School at Bhavnagar for religious instructions.
5. The Bohra School „
6. The Mission School for Boys „
7. „ „ for Girls „
8. The Girls' School at Dungar.
9. „ „ „ at Gangli.
10. The Boys' School at Bagdana.

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APPENDIX XXV-C.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Scholarships granted in the year 1906-07.

No.	Name of Scholarship.	No. of Scholarships.	Aggregate Value per Month. Rs	a.	p.
1	University Scholarships called Sir Jaswantsinhji Scholarship	2	24	0	0
2	Darbari Scholarships in Samaldas College	14	90	0	0
3	Juwansinhji Scholarships „	2	16	0	0
4	Ahmedabad High School Scholarship	1	15	0	0
5	The Grant Medical College Scholarship...	1	20	0	0
6	Ahmedabad B. J. Medical School „	2	25	0	0
7	The Calcutta Medical School „	1	25	0	0
8	The Agra Medical School „	1	15	0	0
9	The Ahmedabad Nursing School „	1	10	0	0
10	The Bombay Ayurved-Vidyalaya „	1	8	0	0
11	Students in England	2	625	0	0
12	The Aligad Mahomedan Anglo-Oriental College	1	20	0	0
13	The Grasia School, Gondal „	2	30	0	0
14	Grasia Scholarships in Bhavnagar High School	10	60	0	0
15	„ „ A.-V. School	10	60	0	0
16	Mahal Students studying in Bhavnagar High School ...	8	40	0	0
17	The Bhavnagar High School Scholarship	3	14	0	0
18	„ Anglo-Vernacular School	1	5	0	0
19	„ Taluka School	1	5	0	0
20	Majiraj Girls' School	2	10	8	0
21	Vudva „	1	4	0	0
22	Keshaba Scholarships for Grasia Girl-students	2	10	0	0
23	The Mahuva Middle School	1	8	0	0
24	The Kundla „	1	3	0	0
25	The Sihor „	1	5	0	0
26	The Poona Agricultural College	2	30	0	0
27	The Bombay Technical Institute	1	25	0	0
28	Scholarship for studying Japanese Languge at Lahore ...	1	25	0	0
29	„ for the study of Laws	1	20	0	0
	Total... ...	77	1,247	8	0

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APPENDIX XXVI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement of Revenue Recovery and Arrears for the years 1905–06 and 1906–07.

District.	Samvat 1961.			Samvat 1962.		
	Demand.	Recovery.	Arrears.	Demand.	Recovery.	Arrears.
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Mahuva	4,49,365	2,15,517	2,33,848	3,78,994	3,61,412	17,582
Kundla	6,46,922	1,15,248	5,31,674	5,84,015	4,85,000	99,015
Lilia	3,61,406	36,236	3,25,170	3,31,262	2,56,519	74,793
Umrala	3,30,010	1,23,255	2,06,755	3,12,386	2,43,688	68,698
Botad	2,44,103	1,21,452	1,22,651	2,25,701	2,17,160	8,541
Daskrohi	2,30,703	1,97,607	33,096	1,75,383	1,53,336	22,047
Gadhada	1,55,166	71,069	84,097	1,35,521	1,00,021	35,500
Sihor	1,54,243	1,15,342	38,901	1,13,318	75,636	37,682
Talaja	1,72,189	1,46,764	25,425	1,52,169	1,37,056	15,113
Victor	1,82,367	73,239	1,09,128	1,77,162	1,72,504	4,658
Customs	1,16,938	1,16,938	...	2,81,482	2,76,920	4,562
Forest	27,765	27,765	...	24,612	24,612	...
Liquor	14,000	14,000	...	14,000	14,000	...
Printing Press ...	29,900	29,900	...	29,860	29,860	...
Abkari, Law, Education, Interest, and Miscellaneous ...	54,415	44,415	10,000	3,63,717	3,37,227	26 490
Total... ...	31,69,492	14,48,747	17,20,745	32,99,582	28,84,951	4,14,631
Railway	9,17,649	9,17,649	...	9,87,786	9,87,786	...
Grand Total...	40,87,141	23,66,396	17,20,745	42,87,368	38,72,737	4,14,631

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APPENDIX XXVII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

CASES OF POISONING brought for treatment at the Hospital and Dispensaries in the year 1906-1907.

No.	Names of Dispensaries.	Opium.			Arsenic.			Dhatura.			Alcohol			Kerosine.			Aniline.			Ratan-got.			Bhilama.			Nerium Odorum.			Poisoned Wounds.												Grand Total.		
																												Snakebite.			Scorpion bite.			Dogbite.			Centifudes					
		Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.
1	Bhavnagar Takhtsingjee Hospital ...	7	5	2	...	...	...	3	3	...	3	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	17	2
2	„ Jail „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	„ Sir Jasvantsingjee Dispensary	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	32	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	10	10	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	48	48	...
4	„ Benba Naniben Female Dispensary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
5	„ Juwansingjee Dispensary...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	„ Imperial Lancers' „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...
7	„ Darbari Aushadhalaya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Sir Takhtsingjee Poor-house Dispensary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Mahuva Dispensary	7	5	2	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	21	19	2
10	Sihor „	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	15	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	17	...
11	Kundla „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...
12	Botad „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	...
13	Talaja „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
14	Umrala „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Gadhada „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	37	...
16	Lilia „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	33	...
17	Rajula „	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...
18	Jesar „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	13	...
	Total... ...	17	13	4	...	...	...	5	5	...	35	35	...	2	2	...	1	1	...	3	3	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	7	7	...	135	135	...	1	1	...	2	2	...	210	206	4

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APPENDIX **XXVIII.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement of Surgical Operations performed in 1906-1907.

Major Operations.

Removal of Tumours	8
Do. foreign body from deep Tissue ...	4
Opening of Abscess Liver	2
Do. of deep Abscesses	118
Paracentesis, for corneal Ulcer	1
Excision for Trichiasis	17
Do. of Oterygium	5
Probing, for Lachrymal Obstruction ...	78
Extraction of Lens	22
Laceration of opaque capsule	1
Excision of corneal staphyloma	1
Extraction, of Polypus Nose	6
Do. do. Ear	1
Paracentesis of the Abdomen	3
Incision for Imperforate Anus	1
Opening of Fistula in Ano	3
Hamorrhoids	1
Lithotomy	1
Litholapaxy	22
Removal of Urethral Calculi (Female) ...	1
Dilatation Stricture	2
Reduction of Inverted Uterus	1
Application of Forceps (Labour Cases) ...	20
Craniotomy	2
Version	7
Rupture for unusual thickness of Fœtal Membrane	3
Removal of Ovum in Abortion	3
Osteotomy for caries	1
Removal of Adherent placenta	4
Reduction Dislocation Lower Jaw ...	8
Do. do. Upper Extremity	7
Do. do. Lower Extremity	2
Division of cicatrices	1
Tenotomy for Talipes Equinus	1
Reduction of Protruded Intestines	1
Ampulation of Palm	1
Do. Arm	3
Do. Leg	4
	367

Minor Operations.

Opening of Cyst	11
Do. Hamatoma	1
Removal of Warts	37
Removal of foreign body, Asophagus ...	3
Do. do. Skin...	11
Do. do. Eye	5
Do. do. Ear	108
Do. do. Nose	30
Do. do. Eyelashes	102
Carried over ...	308

Brought forward ...	308
Scarification of Chemosis	2
Paracentesis, Anterior Chamber	3
Restoration, of the Ear	1
Opening of small Abscesses	1,797
Do. Gum Boil	13
Do. Fistula in Ano	2
Canterization Corneal Ulcer	2
Extraction of Teeth	936
Passing of Catheters	324
Reduction of Prolapsus Ani	2
Removal of Urethral Calculi	4
Dilatation Stricture Urethral	2
Slitting Phimosis	14
Circumcision for Phimosis	16
Reduction, Paraphimosis	3
Scarification for Paraphimosis	4
Reduction Hernia Inguinal	2
Tapping the Hydrocele	6
Removal of Polypi from Cervix Uteri ...	2
Insertion of Intra-Uterine and Vaginal Pessaries	15
Rectification of Displacement of Uterus ...	12
Dilatation of cervix	64
Incision for Imperforate Hymen	1
Removal of Retained Placenta	4
Plugging of cervix Uteri	25
Appication of stomach Pump	3
Removal of small sequestra	3
Cupping	7
Scraping for Chronic ulcer	1
Skin Grafting...	1
Removal by excision of a Phalanx of a Finger	1
Removal, Finger (for Deformity)	5
Amputation, Finger	3
Subcutaneous Injection	17
Application of Sutures	42
	3,647

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APPENDIX **XXIX.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing Particulars of Vaccination for the year 1906-07.

No.	Name of the State.	Population according to the Census of 1901.	Total No. of villages.	Total No. of villages visited by			No. of Children.				Percentage of successful cases in which the results were known.	Small-pox.							Number of persons successfully vaccinated per 1,000 population.	Cost.		Remarks.
							Total number vaccinated.		Number inspected			No. of Villages affected.	No. of Cases.									
													Previously protected.			Previously unprotected.						
				Vaccinators.	Inspectors.	Superintendents.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	By Inspectors.	By Superintendents.			Recovered.	Died.	Deformed.	Recovered.	Died.	Deformed.		Total.	Per each successful case.	
																				Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	
1	Bhavnagar ...	412,664	658	505	238	52	P 7,448 R 105	300 2	7,482	3,089 Besides 212 old cases.	P 95·4 R 95·4	37	75	3	...	102	18	1	18·3	4,871-0-0	0 10 3	

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APPENDIX XXX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the details of Vaccination during the year 1906-07.

No.	Circles.	Population of District according to census of 1901.	Average population per square mile.	Average number of vaccinators employed throughout the year.	Total Number of persons vaccinated.			Average number of persons vaccinated by each Vaccinator.	PRIMARY VACCINATION.					RE-VACCINATION.			Percentage of successful cases in which the results were known.		Persons successfully vaccinated per 1,000 of population.	Percentage of unknown cases to total cases.		Average annual No. of persons successfully vaccinated during previous five years.		Average annual No. of deaths from small-pox during previous five years.	
									Total.	SUCCESSFUL.			Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unknown.	Primary.	Re-vaccination.		Primary.	Re-vaccination.	Number.	Ratio per 1,000.	Number.	Ratio per 1,000.
										Under one year.	One and under six years.	Total of all ages.													
1	2	3	4	5	6			7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
					M.	F.	Total.																		
1	Bhavnagar ...	64,623	209·6	1	P 601 R 1	547 1	1,148 2	...	1,152	760	334	1,114	9	2	1	...	96·7	50·0	18·0	0·7	...	1,762	28·5	30	0·4
2	Mahuva ...	56,687	182·9	1	P 439 R ...	417 ...	856 ...	...	862	594	210	812	6	...	..	...	94·2	...	14·3	0·6	...	1,071	18·8	20	0·3
3	Kundla ...	53,608	147·3	1	P 599 R 6	601 1	1,200 7	...	1,200	1,078	96	1,175	22	7	4	3	97·9	57·1	21 9	1·8	42·8	1,286	23·9	1	0·01
4	Rajula ...	46,504	95·9	1	P 642 R 72	615 22	1,257 94	...	1,257	716	507	1,224	9	94	94	...	97·3	100·0	28·3	0·7	...	1,126	24·2	4	0·08
5	Sihor ...	56,213	161·8	1	P 328 R 1	304 ...	632 1	...	646	422	182	609	3	1	1	...	94·2	100 0	10·8	0·4	...	928	16·5	7	0·1
6	Botad ...	45,216	107·4	1	P 442 R ...	425 ...	867 ...	...	869	644	177	825	1	...	...	...	94·9	...	18·2	0·1	...	836	18·4	5	0·1
7	Talaja ...	48,044	125·8	1	P 569 R 5	562 1	1,131 6	...	1,141	805	261	1,076	4	6	5	..	94·3	83·3	22·5	0·3	...	1,082	22·5	15	0·3
8	Umrala ...	44,769	162·8	1	P 330 R ...	338 ...	668 ...	...	678	498	110	613	3	...	...	...	90·4	...	13·6	0·4	...	676	15·0	6	0·1
	Total ...	4,12,664	143·4	8	P 3,950 R 25	3,809 25	7,759 110	983	7,805	5,517	1,877	7,448	57	110	105	3	95·4	95 4	18·3	0·7	2·7	8,767	21·2	88	0·2

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APPENDIX **XXV-B**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Private Schools in 1908-09.

1. The Khoja Boys' School at Bhavnagar.
2. „ Girls' „ „
3. „ Girls' „ Mahuva.
4. The Mahomedan Madressa „
5. The Jain Girls' School at Bhavnagar.
6. The Bohra School at „
7. The Mission School for Boys „
8. „ „ for Girls „
9. The Sanatan Dharma Girls' School „

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APPENDIX XXXI.

STATEMENT of the EXPORT TRADE of the several Ports for the years 1905-1906 and 1906-1907.

EXPORT.

Number	Name of Articles	Bhavnagar.				Mahuva.				Port Albert Victor.				Talaja.				Sonrai.				Total.			
		1905-1906.		1906-1907.		1905-1906.		1906-1907.		1905-1906.		1906-1907.		1905-1906.		1906-1907.		1905-1906.		1906-1907.		1905-1906.		1906-1907.	
		Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.
1	Cotton ... ...cwts.	116,875	30,37,750	302,482	78,64,532	14,475	593,50	46,678	13,18,190	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	131,350	24,31,056	349,160	91,82,632
2	Grain ... ... ,,	172,672	6,90,688	18,612	74,448	618	2,712	81,132	3,27,114	332	440	40,210	1,55,792	2,222	8,923	80,848	1,59,321	485	2,905	498	1,018	176,990	7,04,319	194,090	7,08,753
3	Wool ... ... ,,	5,811	2,93,732	6,421	3,51,878	3,973	1,61,519	4,902	2,53,213	...	...	...	...	43	1,812	...	...	...	...	* ...	...	9,248	4,90,612	11,426	6,05,061
4	Ghi ... ... ,,	10,821	4,32,819	16,429	7,49,205	3,784	1,63,009	4,804	2,31,005	920	40,415	867	41,001	1,124	38,439	914	42,614	...	...	...	36	16,679	6,77,303	23,126	10,80,761
5	Molasses ... ... ,,	1,498	8,991	3,737	22,422	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,498	8,991	3,737	22,422
6	Cotton seeds ... ... ,,	5,80?	12,550	117,680	2,61,840	...	...	24,515	67,250	...	...	5,583	12,359	1,987	9,102	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,470	21,652	147,589	3,38,439
7	Hides ... ... No.	100,313	83,115	150,833	1,68,514	...	...	5,225	11,225	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100,313	83,115	156,058	1,79,739
8	Cocoanuts ... ... ,,	128,515	4,133	75,277	210	...	...	197,231	4,818	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	128,515	4,133	254,446	5,158
9	Stone ... ... cwts.	700	380	7,302	2,026	...	...	1,005	215	44,050	11,123	58,310	16,120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45,302	11,533	66,688	19,281
10	Oil, Sweet ... ... ,,	682	10,230	109	2,560	1,531	21,765	2,319	45,103	32	167	198	1,927	7	111	12	167	...	...	...	...	2,306	35,613	2,709	49,757
11	Dates ... ... ,,	1,076	4,304	14,518	57,796	...	...	257	731	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,076	4,304	14,706	58,529
12	Metals... ... ... ,,	3,033	2,12,345	8,543	2,48,202	54	371	330	6,732	24	595	1	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,111	2,13,311	3,937	2,54,949
13	Cotton Yarns ... No.	547	86,997	572	83,441	4	251	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	551	87,248	572	83,441
14	Red Dungry Cloth	24,667	25,503	13,082	33,697	320	275	540	822	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,987	25,778	13,622	34,519
15	Peacock Feathers	...	210	...	...	...	182	...	205	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	392	...	205
16	Factitious Salt ... cwts	1,260	2,902	2,623	5,901	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,260	2,902	2,623	5,901
17	Other Articles	...	7,05,402	...	16,55,216	...	3,10,121	...	1,83,708	...	8,419	...	1,719	...	3,160	...	94,729	...	14,506	...	4,104	...	11,31,998	...	19,39,547
	Bullion { Gold ... Tolas	756	18,144	2,489	69,736	...	...	342	5,470	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	756	18,144	2,831	75,206
	Bullion { Silver ... ,,	78,377	50,976	740,761	7,05,845	...	...	24,973	19,552	...	...	1,030	1,152	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78,377	50,976	773,334	7,26,549
	Cash ... ... Rs	...	52,000	...	2,14,200	...	4,78,606	...	40,000	...	2,743	...	2,000	...	25,200	...	12,200	...	...	...	...	...	5,53,851	...	2,69,600
	Total... ...	...	58,59,018	...	1,25,76,009	...	15,40,187	...	25,29,155	...	64,274	...	2,12,115	...	78,440	...	3,07,329	...	17,991	...	5,753	...	75,06,750	...	1,56,40,449

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APPENDIX XXXII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

STATEMENT of the IMPORT TRADE of the several Ports for the years 1905-1906 and 1906-1907.

IMPORT.

Number.	Names of Articles.	Bhavnagar.				Mahuwa.				Port Albert Victor.				Talaja.				Sonrai.				Total.			
		1905-1906.		1906-1907.		1905-1906.		1906-1907.		1905-1906.		1906-1907.		1905-1906.		1906-1907.		1905-1906.		1906-1907.		1905-1906.		1906-1907.	
		Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.
1	Rice ... ... Cwts.	171,144	9,41,292	226,651	10,56,092	41,605	1,64,727	20,753	1,28,999	12,186	45,329	9,720	48,934	4,168	19,495	2,154	12,01	27	91	6	31	2,29,180	11,70,934	2,59,284	12,46,072
2	Grain ... ... ,,	499,900	20,83,200	247,110	11,36,500	190,486	6,07,246	52,466	196,410	34,590	1,07,041	3,269	13,594	21,472	61,580	1,185	5,221	280	831	355	1,205	7,46,728	28,59,899	3,04,385	13,52,930
3	Cloth ... ... Bales.	3,357	10,27,722	4,480	13,27,450	101	59,831	96	42,200	32	11,878	41	15,844	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,490	10,99,431	4,617	13,80,494
4	Metals ... ... Cwts.	40,366	5,42,732	24,393	3,76,104	4,974	28,046	2,088	13,412	145	885	218	1,273	50	306	322	1,801	22	153	...	...	45,558	5,73,122	27,021	3,92,590
5	Timber ... ... ,,	222,100	2,92,800	240,400	3,66,661	12,670	25,335	42,280	33,894	1,120	1,702	13	3,197	4,500	6,750	31	6,882	...	...	4	6	240,780	3,26,587	2,82,788	4,10,040
6	Sugar ... ... ,,	92,675	9,92,800	213,886	19,05,599	6,653	75,384	13,474	1,29,062	1,024	12,355	3,407	32,391	545	6,273	1,065	9,859	...	...	...	...	100,901	10,86,812	2,31,832	20,79,911
7	Molasses ... ... ,,	15,666	1,09,665	13,301	67,905	10,437	62,623	7,521	47,125	5,698	20,121	3,058	19,803	3,797	30,378	2,608	23,247	1	9	2	21	35,599	2,22,796	27,491	1,57,811
8	Oil, Sweet ... ... ,,	5,718	91,500	2,531	35,004	58,054	69,777	...	...	2,758	10,209	...	...	620	2,158	...	...	1	21	...	11	67,152	1,73,665	2,531	35,015
9	Betelnut ... ... ,,	6,927	69,277	4,915	74,788	1,038	13,991	667	10,330	95	1,542	196	3,102	6	89	4	81	...	...	...	...	8,067	84,840	5,784	88,301
10	Ghi ... ... ,,	10	472	98	4,290	...	...	26½	1,345	...	...	56	2,644	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	472	181	8,285
11	Ivory ... ... ,,	...	...	...	...	4	1,434	6	4,120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1,434	6	4,120
12	Silk... ... ... Bales.	4	1,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1,200	...	...
13	Wool ... ... Cwts.	4	247	...	...	...	...	389	16,788	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	247	389	16,788
14	Cocoanuts ... ... No.	20,14,990	60,446	15,68,770	54,913	3,82,045	3,573	1,00,422	4,572	52,235	1,757	39,600	1,564	4,000	119	1,000	34	...	...	...	...	2,453,170	65,893	17,09,792	61,103
15	Coir ... ... Cwts.	12,881	77,287	11,093	83,376	2,889	16,913	1,536	9,121	208	1,444	335	2,088	241	1,503	184	991	2	15	...	...	16,226	97,161	13,148	93,576
16	Cotton Yarn ... ,,	6,284	1,67,363	7,014	2,86,359	1,85,625	31,975	1,491	43,855	189	5,985	89	10,410	...	...	36	1,950	...	...	...	...	1,92,098	2,25,323	8,630	3,42,574
17	Paper ... ... Reams.	20,764	62,292	28,042	84,127	...	...	90	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,764	62,292	28,132	84,172
18	Dates ... ... Cwts.	16,847	67,389	36,359	1,54,526	2,419	9,094	2,313	7,622	...	...	123	596	62	248	...	...	...	...	2	10	19,328	76,731	38,798	1,62,754
19	Dry Dates ... ... ,,	14,853	89,119	9,883	61,655	801	3,694	174	1,173	87	439	167	552	55-2	244	65	360	...	...	...	...	15,796	93,496	10,289	63,740
20	Groundnuts ... ,,	3,919	23,517	4,326	25,680	1,420	8,316	478	2,361	35	181	150	723	43	214	20	100	...	...	...	...	5,418	32,228	4,974	28,846
21	Tobacco ... ... ,,	1,430	11,440	1,742	13,936	795	7,115	1,081	10,198	4	101	41	472	...	...	56	564	...	...	...	...	2,229	18,656	2,920	25,080
22	Oil-seeds ... ... ,,	36,903	2,21,412	16,648	1,33,180	12,763	84,741	593	4,676	1,183	7,940	176	1,456	1,162	8,177	505	4,349	...	...	...	...	5,210	3,22,270	17,922	1,43,661
23	Other Articles	...	22,26,718	...	11,87,419	...	4,62,492	...	6,34,886	...	64,617	...	42,276	...	1,67,069	...	64,630	...	304	...	275	...	28,21,290	...	19,28,886
	Bullion. Gold ... Tolas.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bullion. Silver ... ,,	...	...	...	...	...	600	850	700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	600	850	700
	Cash ... ... Rs.	...	...	...	8,000	...	...	...	2,07,800	...	...	...	1,300	...	...	...	38,315	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,15,615
	Total... ...	...	91,60,890	...	84,40,650	...	17,56,856	...	16,10,614	...	2,93,526	...	2,02,422	...	3,04,507	...	1,69,820	...	1,515	...	1,559	...	1,15,17,384	...	1,04,25,063

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APPENDIX XXXIII.

Abstract of the Trade Return of all the Ports of the Bhavnagar State.

Exports of the Principal Articles.

Year.	Cotton.		Grain.		Wool.		Bales of Cotton-Yarn.		Other Articles.		Total.		Increase for 1906-1907.
	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Bales.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	
		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs
1905–1906 ...	131,350	34,31,056	176,090	7,04,319	9,248	4,90,642	551	87,248	...	28,53,485	...	75,66,750	...
1906–1907 ...	349,160	91,82,632	194,090	7,08,753	11,426	6,05,061	572	83,441	...	50,60,562	...	1,56,40,449	80,73,699

Imports of the Principal Articles.

Year.	Rice.		Grain.		Cloth.		Metals.		Timber.	Sugar & Molasses.		Oil Seeds.		Other Articles.	Total.		Decrease for 1906-1907.
	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Bales.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	
		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs		Rs	Rs
1905-1906	229,130	11,70,934	7,46,728	28,59,899	3,490	10,99,431	45,558	5,73,122	3,26,587	1,36,500	13,09,608	52,010	3,22,270	37,54,533	...	1,15,17,384	...
1906-1907	259,284	12,46,072	3,04,385	13,52,930	4,617	13,80,494	27,021	3,92,590	4,10,040	2,59,323	22,37,722	17,922	1,43,661	30,63,214	...	1,04,25,065	10,92,319

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MAHARAJA OF BHAVNAGAR.

YOUR HIGHNESS,

Pursuant to Your Highness' directions I have the honour to submit the following Report of the Administration of Your Highness' State for the year 1907–08.

Dewan Office:
Bhavnagar, 9th May 1908.

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Dewan of Bhavnagar.

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CHAPTER I.

GENERAL AND POLITICAL.

Area, Population, Tribute, Revenue.

The State of Bhavnagar lies at the head and west side of the Gulf of Cambay in the Kathiawad Peninsula, between 21° 18′ and 22° 18′ north latitude and 75° 15′ and 72° 18′ east longitude. Its area is about 2,860 square miles, and its population 412,664 souls according to the census of 1901. It pays an annual tribute of Rs. 1,28,060 to the British Government, Rs. 3,581-8-0 to Baroda, and Rs. 22,858 to Junagadh. The gross revenue calculated on an average of the last five years is Rs. 42,41,508 inclusive of Rs. 9,49,750 the income of the Bhavnagar Integral Railway which is the sole property of the State. The gross expenditure calculated on the same basis is Rs. 37,41,906 inclusive of the Railway expenditure of Rs. 4,31,004.

His Highness.

His Highness Maharaja Rajl Shri Bhavsinhji, K. C. S. I., was in the best of health throughout the year under report and he continued to give undivided attention to the affairs of the State. The success that has attended the administration of the State is mainly due to the ever watchful care and able guidance of His Highness and the tone of efficiency in the working of the various Departments has been maintained at the same high level as before. His Highness visited Mahuva on the 4th May and was there for nearly four weeks, with a week's stay in the interval at Raydi Pati. He paid short visits to Trapaj and Gadhada in the Month of June. He visited Gondal twice in September and February last at the invitation of the Heir-apparent and of His Highness the Thakore Sahib. He passed about 10 days at Hathab and a week in Bombay in October last. He was thrice at Ningala on flying visits in December and January last. Being cordially invited by His Highness the Chhatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur, to attend the marriage occasion of his daughter, His Highness the Maharaja went there with a select retinue and took part in the festivities for a few days in March last. At Kolhapur, he had the happy opportunity of meeting His Excellency the Governor who had gone there to honour the Maharaja Sahib with his presence on the aforesaid auspicious occasion.

Rajya Kutumb.

Her Highness Rani Shri Nandkunverba was in excellent health; Kunvari Shri Manharkunverba enjoyed good health and prosecuted her studies diligently under the able tutorship of Miss Chondekar.

His Highness' relations with his brother Kumar Shri Mangalsinhji continue to be most cordial.

Celebration of His Majesty's Birth-day.

The birth-day of His Royal Majesty the King-Emperor was as usual celebrated with great *eclat* on the 28th June 1907, the day announced for the purpose. A salute of 31 guns was fired at sunrise, and the Royal Standard was hoisted on the City flag-staff. The Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers and the State Infantry held a parade in the morning, ending in a *feu de joie* which was witnessed by His Highness and his principal officers. The military were given a day's *batta* and Rs. 500 were ordered to be distributed amongst the poor Christians in the State. In memory of this auspicious occasion Rs. 5,000 were set apart to be spent as usual in improvements in the Victoria Park. The day was observed as a general holiday all over the State.

Celebration of His Highness' Birth-day.

The 2nd of May 1907 being His Highness' birth-day, was observed as a general holiday throughout the State and all the schools and offices were ordered to be closed. About 1,428 books of the total value of Rs. 555 were distributed as prizes to school-boys and girls for whose amusement various pastimes were provided in the Peile Gardens. Sugar-candy was distributed among school-going children and eleven scholarships of the aggregate amount of Rs. 189 per month were granted to students attending various Schools and Colleges. Thirty-three widows of various castes and creeds received a monthly sum of Rs. 3 each as maintenance for life. The right of sale with respect to their houses was graciously bestowed upon the residents of 3 villages of the Botad and Daskrohi districts of the State. Two boys' and two girls' schools were founded in the districts of Sihor, Victor, and Mahuva.

A parade of the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers and the State Infantry took place early in the morning and a salute of 11 guns was fired to announce the arrival, on the parade ground, of His Highness. The parade was witnessed by His Highness and the principal officers and it ended in a *feu de joie*. The military as usual received a day's *batta* allowance.

Personnel of the Administration.

Appendix I. gives particulars as to the principal officers of the State.

CHAPTER II.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE LAND.

1. Revenue Collection.

Revenue year.

The Revenue year begins with 1st November and ends with 31st October (Divali) and collections of revenue are made by two instalments of 40 and 60 per cent respectively about the months of December and April in all the Districts except Mahuva, Talaja, and Daskrohi where there are three instalments of 40, 40, and 20 per cent, falling due in December, April and June. Thus all figures relating to revenue throughout this report cover the year ending with 31st October 1907. The agricultural facts which they represent are therefore those connected with the rainfall of the Samvat year 1962 (1906 A. D.) rather than those of the monsoon of 1963 (1907 A. D.) which latter will find their place in the ensuing report.

Rainfall.

As mentioned in the last year's report the rainfall of Samvat 1962 (A. D. 1906) was plentiful. The month of June began with auspicious signs and rainfall measured from 3·6 to 9·81 inches. July rains were well distributed over the whole area and were quite seasonable, the maximum fall being 13·67 and the minimum being 3·13 inches. In August showers of rain came at regular intervals for the thriving crops and a small fall in September proved most beneficial. On the whole crops turned out to be more than 16 annas in most of the districts. Bearing in mind the heavy burden of the arrears of the past years under which the cultivators laboured and seeing their anxiety to be relieved of a part thereof in the districts where the crops proved best, orders were issued for collection of the full yearly assessment and half as much over of past arrears in 442 villages, and of the full yearly assessment and $\frac{3}{5}$ths as much over in 35 villages, and of the full yearly assessment and $\frac{1}{4}$th as much over in 33 villages. 11 villages gave only a year's assessment and one village only $\frac{3}{4}$ths of a year's assessment. In some villages of Kundla and Lilia districts where there was a continuous heavy downpour in July and August and where later on small locusts did some damage the amount fixed for collection by the abovementioned orders was reduced on inspection and verification of the actual damage done.

Revenue Collections.

The effects of the favourable rainfall above described are most apparent in the revenue collections during the year under report, which went up to Rs. 32,75,236 out of the total demand of Rs. 35,79,369, exclusive of Railway, and Rs. 3,04,133 was the amount suspended. Appendix **XXVI.** gives the details of these figures as compared with those of Samvat 1962.

Arrears.

The revenue arrears, which at the close of the previous year amounted to Rs. 39,23,173, showed a considerable decrease owing to as much as Rs. 8,01,587 (or nearly three times the amount of the previous year) having fallen in during the year under review. With a remission of Rs. 47,855 this leaves a balance of Rs. 30,73,731. Adding to this the amount of the arrears of the year under notice we arrive at Rs. 33,77,864 as the total amount outstanding up to 31st October 1907, as will be seen from the following table :—

Districts.	Previous Arrears.				Arrears of Samvat 1963.	Total arrears at the end of 1963.
	At the close of Samvat 1962.	Recoveries in Samvat 1963.	Written-off in Samvat 1963.	Balance of Arrears		
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Mahuva ...	4,70,669	98,738	1,554	3,70,377	27,006	3,97,383
Kundla ...	10,22,768	1,32,544	18,394	8,71,830	64,607	9,36,437
Lilia ...	5,99,669	74,148	3,670	5,21,851	52,148	5,73,999
Umrala ...	5,01,142	1,27,032	7,682	3,66,428	23,880	3,90,308
Botad ...	3,81,697	98,798	2,328	2,80,571	26,545	3,07,116
Daskrohi ...	1,42,963	34,553	1,491	1,06,919	15,847	1,22,766
Gadhada ...	3,09,083	62,521	2,717	2,43,845	11,833	2,55,678
Sihor ...	1,28,843	51,936	4,639	72,268	26,755	99,023
Talaja ...	74,826	31,449	1,520	41,857	10,416	52,273
Victor ...	2,60,461	58,816	3,860	1,97,785	14,609	2,12,394
Customs, &c. ...	31,052	31,052	...	...	30,487	30,487
Total... ...	39,23,173	8,01,587	47,855	30,73,731	3,04,133	33,77,864

Loans to Bhayats and Mulgrasias.

Upon this head Rs. 30,657 were recovered during the year under report, and fresh advances were made to the extent of Rs. 25,366, thus leaving an outstanding balance of Rs. 1,74,149 at the close of the year as against Rs. 1,79,440 in the previous year.

2. Waste Lands.

Culturable Area.

The total area of arable land under the administration of the Revenue Department was 7,42,593 acres or 18,56,482 bighas as against 7,40,835 acres or 18,52,089 bighas in the preceding year. These include 4,325 bighas of land escheated to the Darbar during the year under review.

Out of the culturable waste area, 149 bighas was brought under cultivation during the year and 80 bighas of arable land was classed as unarable owing to its deterioration. The figures in the preceding paragraph take account of the above facts.

Waste Area.

Out of this culturable area, only 22,947 bighas was lying waste during the year under report. This land consists mostly of portions washed away, rendered saltish, or otherwise become unfit for cultivation.

Area under Cultivation.

The area under cultivation was 18,33,535 bighas as against 18,22,863 bighas.

Lease at reduced assessment.

During the year under report 70,778 bighas were leased out for a reduced rental of Rs. 36,710. Adding this area to the lands leased out for a reduced rental during previous years, the total comes to be 175,583 bighas. These if occupied for their fully assessed amount would bring in Rs. 2,13,541 instead of of Rs. 1,29,245 which they fetch now.

3. Tagavi Advances.

Tagavi.

During the year Rs. 125 only were advanced which has not been paid off before the close of the year. The total arrears on this head were Rs. 88,451 at the close of the Samvat year 1962. During the year under report Rs. 9,282 were recovered, and Rs. 229 had to be written off. There is still a considerable balance of Rs. 79,065 for recovery. These figures refer to all the districts except Mahuva, Kundla, and Talaja where these advances were mixed up with arrears for land revenue dues and separate figures were not therefore obtainable.

4. Survey.

Revenue Survey.

The revenue survey establishment did satisfactory work during the year, inspecting the boundary marks and attending and re-adjusting and repairing the same.

5. Wards and other Estates.

Estates under Management.

During the year under report 65 estates were in charge of the District Revenue Officers on account of minority, indebtedness, disputes between rival claimants and similar causes. Of these, 48 were managed under the supervision of the Revenue Commissioner and 17 under that of the Rajyaprakarni Court.

6. Giras and Alienation Settlement.

Giras Settlement

During the year under report only two cases were filed by Mul-grasias alleging infringement of their rights.

Co-parcenery and Heirship Cases.

Thirty-two cases of co-parcenery and heirship between Mul-grasias were pending at the close of the preceding year and 25 new cases were filed in the year under report. Of these, 16 were disposed of, leaving a balance of 41 at the close of the year. Of the 16 that were disposed of, 6 have been appealed against.

Alienation Settlement.

Reports concerning alienated land in some of the villages of the district of Sihor were submitted and received the sanction of the Darbar Hazur during the year under report.

CHAPTER III.

PROTECTION.

1. Legislation.

Appendix II. gives a list of the laws and rules in force in the State.

2. Military—Imperial Service Lancers.

Command. Lieutenant Zoravarsinh having been apponited on special duty for a year as Military Secretary to His Highness, Mr. Devisinh, second in command, is in charge of the Corps.

Strength. The Force numbered 274 at the close of the previous year, out of whom 40 were discharged and 3 died during the year under report, leaving 231 which with 58 newly enlisted brings up the total strength to 289 at the end of the year. These consist of 12 Commissioned Officers, 30 Non-Commissioned Officers, and 247 fighting men. Appendix III. will explain the necessary details.

Arms. The Regiment is armed with carbines, swords and lances. The arms were inspected by the Civil Chief Master Armourer and found satisfactory. The Armourer was pronounced to be efficient.

Remounts. At the commencement of the year there were 300 horses out of which 10 died, 1 was sold, 3 were cast, and 7 new remounts were purchased, leaving the total at 293 at the close of the year.

Ponies. There were 103 ponies at the commencement of the year under report, and the number fell to 98 at the end of the year, including casualties and new purchases.

Musketry. The Regiment has gone through the whole course of Musketry. The Regiment has 2 marksmen, 81 first-class shots, and no third-class ones. Risaldar Sheikh Janmahomad was sent to the Musketry Class at Meerut and stood third in a large field of 39 Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers. Kot-Dafedar Major Mohobatsingh passed the Musketry Class at Meerut.

General Inspection The Regiment as a whole was inspected by General Drummond, Inspector-General, Imperial Service Troops, at Sihor while the Regiment was out on Camp of Exercise He expressed his perfect satisfaction at the business-like appearance of the men and horses and his letter to His Highness the

Maharaja Saheb shows that the Regiment has at the present moment approached a standard of efficiency which was never reached before.

Signalling.

Jamadar Bapubhai and Dafedar Rajpalsinh were sent for training to the Gwalior Signalling Class, where they passed creditably.

Inspection of Signalling.

Captain B. M. L. Brodhurst, Inspector of Signalling, Imperial Service Troops, inspected the Signallers of the Regiment at Camp Sihor and was greatly pleased at the work done by the Signallers and remarked that the high standard of efficiency obtained by the Lancers had been fully maintained inspite of new men. Jamadar Bapubhai, Signalling Officer, and Dafedar Rajpalsinh earned favourabale notice.

Racing.

Nine horses of the Bhavnagar Lancers took part in the Races at Rajkot, three securing first, six second, and three third prizes. Thus this Regiment was the largest winner at the Rajkot Races.

Polo.

The Polo Team of the Bhavnagar Imperial Lancers went to Rajkot to take part in the Kathiawar Tournament there. The Team played very creditably and won the Polo cup.

Hockey.

The Regiment's interest in Hockey remains unabated.

Assault at Arms.

The assault at arms held at the end of the Camp of Exercise and which was graced by the presence of His Highness the Maharaja Saheb at Sihor was also creditable to the Lancers. Drill Dafedar Mangalsingh secured the cup for the Lancers, being the largest winner at the Meeting.

Sword & Lance Exercise.

This continues to be efficiently practised as heretofore.

Camp of Exercise.

The Regiment went out for a month's Camp of Exercise during the year and did excellent service there.

Cost.

The total cost of the Regiment was Rs. 1,58,265 during the year under review.

3. Infantry or Armed Police.

Strength.

The strength of the Armed Police known as the Bhavnagar State Infantry was 275 at the end of the preceding year. During the year under report, 4 died, 21 were discharged from the service, and 31 recruits were newly enlisted. The strength at the close of the year was 281. The cost of this Force to the State was Rs. 59,662. Appendix **III.-A** gives the necessary details with regard to this Corps. The arms borne by the Force consist of rifles and bayonets.

Band.

The Band attached to the Infantry continues to be highly efficient.

Artillery.

There is no separate Artillery Force in this State. A party of the Infantry specially trained for the purpose perform those duties.

4. Police.

Regular Police. The total Police Force of the State under the exclusive control of the Police Department stands at 769 consisting of 64 Officers, 52 Mounted Police, and 653 Footmen (inclusive of 75 Chowkidars of the Village Police).

Village Police. The Village Police consists of 2,315 men exclusive of the 75 Chowkidars who owing to the peculiar situation and circumstances of certain villages are placed under the exclusive control of the Police Department. Of these, 507 are Mukhis or Police Patels, 963 are Chowkidars, and 845 are Pasaitas. Among the Mukhis 219 have exclusive charge of the Village Police work, while 288 have both Police and revenue charges. The whole of the Village Police is under the control of the Revenue Department, but in so far as they perform Police duties, they are under the supervision of the Police Department.

Strength. The total strength of both the Regular and Village Police comes to 3,084, and if the Armed Police are added it stands at 3,365 men. The ratio of the whole Force works up to one man for every 122·6 men of the population and every 0·85 square mile of the area. The ratio of the Regular Police alone is one man for every 536·6 men of the population and every 3·71 square miles of the area.

Discipline. In the Police Department there are 139 Sipahis, 483 Rajputs, 95 Rabaris, 3 Sindhis, and 8 Arabs. Of these, only 413 know how to read and write, and 78 are under instruction. During the year under report 53 men were rewarded by promotion, 32 were dismissed, and 225 men were fined or punished departmentally. Appendix **IV.** gives the necessary details in this connection.

Cost. The cost of the Police Department in the year under report was Rs. 1,21,392 against Rs. 1,18,957 in the preceding year.

Arms. The Mounted Police is provided with rifles and swords and the Foot Police with Batons.

Cognizable Crimes. Appendix **V.** will show that during the year under report the number of cognizable offences reported was 47 less than that in the preceding year ; the number of persons arrested was greater by 74, and that of persons sent up for trial was less by 30. The convictions showed a decrease of 53, and the discharges and acquittals, of 79, compared to the corresponding results of the previous year.

Offences generally. The total number of offences (both cognizable and non-cognizable) reported increased from 3,638 to 5,296, showing a rise of 45·5 per cent, the rise being mainly accounted for by petty offences. The following table

will show the main heads of the offences this year as compared with those in the last year :—

	1906-7.	1907-8.
Murder	6	5
Culpable homicide	5	5
Grievous hurt	35	51
Hurt	556	768
Dacoity	0	0
Robbery	11	8
House-breaking	60	50
Theft	284	287
Petty offences	2,681	4,122
Total ...	3,638	5,296

Further details will be found in Appendix **VII.**

Value and Recovery of Stolen Property.

The aggregate value of property alleged to have been stolen during the year was Rs. 15,349 as against Rs. 6,373 in the previous year, and that of property recovered Rs. 4,032 as against Rs. 4,573, the percentage of recovery being 26·26 as against 71·75 last year (*vide* Appendix **VI.**).

5. Criminal Justice.

Number and Constitution of Courts.

The number and constitution of Criminal Courts in the State remained the same as in the previous year, *viz.*, 9 Magistrates' Courts and 2 Courts of Sessions, besides 2 Courts of Appeal.

Work done by Original Courts.

The work done by the various original courts during the year under report will appear from Appendices **VII.** and **VIII.** It will be seen that the number of cases brought to trial was 2,217 as against 1,864 last year, showing an increase of 18·9 per cent, and the number of persons involved was 3,834 as against 3,209 last year, also showing an increase of 18·9 per cent. Of the 3,834 persons brought to trial, 1,921 were convicted, 974 were acquitted, 764 were discharged, and 175 remained under trial at the close of the year. As to punishments, two sentences of death were inflicted in the year under notice. Sentences of imprisonment for over six months were passed against 67 persons, of imprisonment for six months and under, against 195, of fine, against 1,646, and of whipping, against 11, as compared with the corresponding figures 58, 188, 1,304 and 15 respectively in the previous year. The amount of fines imposed was Rs. 9,149 as against Rs. 8,035 in the preceding year, and the amount recovered under this head was Rs. 6,189 as against Rs. 7,622 in 1906-07.

Appeals.

The appellate courts decided 75 out of 77 appeals concerning 144 prisoners, with the result that the decisions of the lower court were upheld in the case of 56, were amended in the case of 36, and quashed in the case of 43 convicts, leaving 2 appeals involving 5 convicts undisposed of at the end of the year (*vide* Appendix **IX.**).

Revision.

There were 13 applications for revision, the sentence being confirmed in 3, amended in 1, and reversed in 6 cases, leaving 3 applications undisposed of at the end of the year.

6. Civil Justice.

Number and Constitution of Courts.

There were 11 courts of original jurisdiction and 3 of appellate jurisdiction as in the previous year.

Number of Suits.

The number of suits fell from 4,939 to 3,886 being a decrease of 21·3 per cent. Adding to this 251 cases left undecided at the end of the previous year, there were 4,137 cases before civil courts for decision, as against 5,107 in 1906-07. Out of these, 3,916 suits were disposed of as against 4,856 in the preceding year, of which 47 related to disputes about immovable property, 3,746 to pecuniary claims, and 93 to miscellaneous rights. Their aggregate value was Rs. 5,04,034, as compared with Rs. 4,74,770 in the preceding year, the average duration of a suit being 3 months and 6·5 days. Further details will be found in Appendix **X**.

Appeals.

The number of appeals presented during the year in the three appellate courts of the State was 266 against 201 last year which together with the balance of the preceding year makes a total of 334. Of these, 264 appeals, the aggregate value whereof was Rs. 50,944, were disposed of, as against 177 appeals of the collective value of Rs. 2,43,853 in the preceding year. For details see Appendix **XII**. The 264 appeals decided may be classified as follows :—

No. of Appeals.	Class.
29	Immovable Property.
186	Money Transactions.
49	Miscellaneous Claims.
Total ... 264	

Applications for Execution of Decrees.

The number of applications for execution of decrees presented during the year was 5,708, which with the balance of the previous year comes to 7,997. Out of these 7,049 or 88 per cent were disposed of, leaving a balance of 948 or 12 per cent pending at the close of the year. For details see Appendix **XI**.

Receipts and Expenditure.

The total receipts of all the Courts amounted to Rs. 78,031 as against Rs. 74,004 in 1906-07, while the charges rose from Rs. 86,554 to Rs. 87,279.

7. Registration

Documents for Registration.

The number of documents presented for registration during the year showed a decline of 58 from that of the preceding year, the value of property involved rose from Rs. 2,32,490 to Rs. 3,15,934, and the fees realized fell from Rs. 1,799 to Rs. 1,709. The majority of these documents consisted of deeds of mortgage. Details can be seen from Appendices **XIV**. and **XV**.

Sales of Immoveable Property.

The above figures do not include sales of immoveable property, which being chargeable with *chowth* are entered in the registers of the Revenue Department. Appendix **XIV.-A** gives the details of these documents. It will be seen that the number of sales increased by 67, the value of property involved being Rs. 3,53,837 as against Rs. 3,01,436 of the previous year, and the *chowth* receipts Rs. 10,730 as against Rs. 9,165.

8. Jails.

Number and Population

There are 9 Jails and lock-ups in the State including the central Jail in the capital. The number of prisoners at the end of March 1906 was 133 and during the year under report there were 416 admissions, making a total of 549 as against 595 of the preceding year. Out of these, 10 died before their terms had expired, and 413 were released on the expiry of their respective terms of imprisonment, leaving 126 at the close of the year. Appendix **XIII.** gives the necessary details.

Average.

The daily average of prisoners was 151·09 as against 113·69 of the previous year.

Expenditure.

The gross expenditure exclusive of the charges on account of the Jail-guards at the central Jail was Rs. 16,636 as against Rs. 17,409 in 1906-07, the cost per head coming to Rs. 110 as against Rs. 118 in the preceding year.

Prison Labour.

During the year under report, prison labour produced goods of the value of about Rs. 4,501 and articles worth Rs. 815 were in hand from the previous year's stock. Out of these, articles valued at Rs. 4,778 were sold and a stock worth Rs. 538 remained on hand as the balance at the close of the year.

Health.

The general health of the prison population was well maintained.

9. Municipalities.

Constitution.

There are 10 Municipalities in the State, all of them being maintained as Darbari Institutions at State expense. The most important of these is the Municipality in the Capital which cost to the Darbar Rs. 74,400 in the year under report. This together with the Municipalities of Mahuva, Kundla, Sihor and Botad are under the control of an officer styled the President of Municipalities, and their affairs are managed by a Committee of Members nominated by that officer periodically from among lists of eligible gentlemen sanctioned by the Darbar for the purpose. Each of these Municipalities has a Secretary who assists the Committee and the Bhavnagar City Municipality has also an Assistant Secretary and a large staff of Clerks, Inspectors and other servants. The remaining five Municipalities, *viz.*, those of Umrala, Lilia, Gadhada, Talaja and Rajula were under the control of the Revenue Department and were managed practically in the same manner as those mentioned above. These have been

ordered to be placed under the control of the President of Municipalities from 1st April 1908.

Income and Expenditure.

The aggregate income arising out of the miscellaneous receipts classed under this head was Rs. 59,336 as against Rs 53,348 in the previous year, and the expenditure was Rs. 1,00,803 as against Rs. 90,649 in 1906-07. Further details will be found embodied in Appendix **XVI**.

Fires.

During the year under report there were 11 fires in Bhavnagar, 3 in Mahuva, 3 in Kundla, 1 in Sihor, 3 in Botad, the estimated loss of property therefrom being Rs. 5,065, Rs. 895, Rs. 530, Rs. 85, and Rs. 130 respectively, making a total of Rs. 6,705 as against Rs. 68,533 in the preceding year.

Plague.

Plague appeared in Bhavnagar early in November 1906 and taxed civic activities heavily for a couple of months although it wholly disappeared about the end of April 1907.

Water-supply.

Ganga-Jalia and other wells supply water to the town of Bhavnagar in addition to the water in the Gavarishankar Lake which is brought through main pipes into the town, and supplied to the people by means of tanks put up at convenient places. The lake had about 22 feet of water at the end of the year. In the districts the principal sources of drinking water are wells and rivers.

10. Chemical Analysis.

The number of analyses made increased from 67 to 85. There were 25 cases of suspected human poisoning, 1 of cattle poisoning, 48 of suspected blood stains, 3 of suspected seminal stains, and 8 miscellaneous cases. Out of the 25 cases of human poisoning, opium was detected in 12, and subacetate of copper in 2 only. No poison was detected in the case of cattle poisoning.

124 articles including swords, sticks, knives and clothes were examined by the Chemical Analyser with varying results. These articles were connected with cases in law courts.

5 samples of molasses were found of inferior quality and 2 samples of opium were found of unobjectionable quality, 1 sample of cocoanut oil was examined and was found to contain 8 per cent of non-dangerous petroleum. A sample of water from Gavarishankar Lake was analysed and was found to be of very fair quality for potable purposes.

CHAPTER IV.

PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

1. Weather and Crops.

Rainfall.

Appendix **XVII.** gives particulars of the rainfall in the several districts of the State during the Samvat year 1963 (1907 A. D.), and Appendix **XVII.-A**, a comparative statement for 8 years. As observed in the beginning of Chapter II. this report deals more with the effects of the rainfall in Samvat year 1962, and remarks about this rainfall have been made there. The rainfall in the monsoon of Samvat year 1963, was not sufficient in quantity and distribution. June gave us from 1·26 to 6·47 inches in the districts. July and August gave a copious fall, but the later rains of September did not come and the crops suffered tremendously but for one good fall. In view of these conditions the Darbar passed orders for suspension of a certain percentage of the year's revenue demand the details whereof and of the results consequent thereon will be stated in the next year's report.

2. Agriculture.

Cropped Area.

The total area cropped by Darbari cultivators numbering 19,306 was 7,13,413 acres or 17,83,532 bighas, the distribution of the crops being as under :—

	Previous year. Acres.	Year under report. Acres.
Cotton...	... 3,13,945	... 3,42,646
Wheat	... 14,615	... 10,848
Oil-seeds	... 26,239	... 35,644
Bajri, jowari, sugarcane, &c....	3,57,014	... 3,24,275
Total	... 7,11,813	.. 7,13,413

The total area cropped practically remained stationary. The area under cotton showed a rise of 9·1 per cent over that in the previous year. The area under wheat decreased by 25·8 per cent, and that under oil-seed increased by 35·8 per cent. There is not much to attract attention with regard to miscellaneous crops.

Agricultural Stock.

The details of agricultural stock in the several districts will be seen from Appendix **XX.** There are 44,527 heads of cattle particularly useful in agricultural work.

3. Horticulture.

The Darbar maintained the Victoria Park and the Peile Gardens at a cost of Rs. 7,712 and Rs. 7,725 respectively. They were under the control and supervision of the Public Works Department.

A small garden round the Percival Fountain and the Albert Victor Square both places of public recreation, under the care of the Bhavnagar Municipatily, were also maintained by the Darbar.

The Plantation at Mahuva and that at Sihor known by the name of *Kant* were maintained by the Darbar. The Mahuva Plantation and *Fulvadi* possess about 43,237 trees of various descriptions, such as mango-trees, palm-trees, acacia, babul, &c.

4. Horse-Breeding.

Stallions. The number of stallions belonging to the Darbar were 11 ; four of these were Arabs, one a T. B. Australian, one an Italian donkey, and five pure Kathis. For the convenience of the public and with a view to encourage private breeders, two of these stallions are stationed in districts and their services were well utilized.

Service. The number of mares covered was 270, of which 119 belonged to the Darbar, and 151 to private owners. The Darbari mares covered produced 15 colts and 10 fillies, of which 2 colts and 2 fillies died, and 21 survived at the close of the year.

Brood-mares. There were 84 brood-mares at the end of the last year; eight fillies were added to the number from the young stock of the Paddock. 11 mares were newly purchased and 14 were received from other Departments, so the total number was 117; from which 8 mares were sold and 2 died, the number remaining being 107. Of these, 14 were walers, 75 studbred, 17 Kathis, and 1 Arab.

Young Stock. There were 81 young stock at the end of the last year, and 25 were added during the year under report, and two bought for nursery, making in all 108. Of these, 25 were under one year, 39 under two years, 31 under three years, and 13 under 4 years and above. Of these, 8 were classed as brood-mares, 10 died, 19 were sold, and 1 was taken up by the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers. The number at the end of the year was 70.

The Italian donkey was used for covering Darbari mares as well as the baggage ponies of the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers. The mules produced look serviceable to the Regiment.

5. Wages, Labour and Prices.

Prices. Prices of food-stuffs were comparatively cheap at the beginning of the year under review. Rice was dearest in January and was sold at a high price till April last. Bajri and Jowari were dearest in January and did not regain their normal levels until the close of the year under report. Fodder was sold at fair prices.

Appendix **XVIII.** will show a comparative table of the prices that prevailed during the past five years.

Wages.

There was no marked fluctuation in the rates of wages in the State except that about the harvest time. The wages of field labourers were a little higher than the normal scale. This continued only about 3 to 4 months, otherwise the average rate for unskilled labour varied from annas $2\frac{1}{2}$ to annas $3\frac{1}{2}$ and that for skilled labour from annas 6 to annas 10.

6. Manufactures and Industries.

Mill.

The one Spinning and Weaving Mill which exists in the State has 327 looms and 19,600 spindles, and it consumed 27,69,350 lbs. of cotton in the year under report, the production being 24,87,513 lbs. of yarn valued at Rs. 10,36,784 and 9,21,549 lbs. of cloth valued at Rs. 5,03,878. The average number of Mill-hands employed was 1,076.

Hand-loom Factory.

Towards the middle of the year under review an enterprising gentleman of Bhavnagar started a small Hand-loom Factory in the capital town. After a couple of months he substituted power-looms worked by an engine of 12 H.-P., and his intentions are to work both side by side. Coarse cloth called "Gaji" is turned out, and it is reported that it is well in demand. The capital is Rs. 40,000 and the estimated outturn 1,00,000 lbs. The enterprise is being watched with interest, and it is hoped it will be able to widen its scope.

Cotton Presses and Ginning Factories.

There were 11 cotton-presses, eight at Bhavnagar and three at Mahuva, and 16 Ginning Factories with 445 gins at Botad, Dhola, Panchtalavda, Kundla, Facharia, Dungar, Rajula, Mahuva, and Jesar.

Hand-gins are rarely to be found though they were seen working in a few villages.

Weaving, &c.

Though hand-weaving has been at a very low ebb, weavers in Kundla produced a good stock of gold-laced *pachhedis*, silk-bordered *dhotars*, and thick covering sheets of cotton known as *chofals*. Botad weavers produced a small stock of cotton cloth known as "check". Gadhada turned out a stock of stout woollen blankets, and the Khatris of Sihor, Umrala, and Vartej produced carpets and bed-covers dyed in variegated colours. Petty little wooden and ivory toys continued to be made in Mahuva, and the skill of the Sihor copper-smiths in the preparation of brass and copper household utensils is still admired.

7. Trade.

Ports.

Besides Bhavnagar, the State possesses the following Ports:—

(*a*) Mahuva and the small ports subordinate thereto,

(*b*) Kathiwadar, now called Port Albert Victor,

(*c*) Pipavav,
(*d*) Talaja (Sultanpur),
(*e*) Jhanjmer (not in use now), and
(*f*) Sundrai.

All these enjoy in virtue of agreements with the Government, the full benefits of British Indian Ports.

Tariff.

During the year under report, as hitherto, whenever a change was made in the Tariff duties in force at British Indian Ports on trade to and from foreign ports, it was forthwith extended to the ports in this State and was notified in the Darbari Gazette.

Exports and Imports.

The prospects of the year are also apparent in the statistics of trade, which had receded in the previous year, but which again reached good proportions in the year under notice. Appendices **XXXI.**, **XXXII.** and **XXXIII.** give full details of the Export and Import trade at all the ports of the State mentioned above. The exports rose by more than 40 per cent, being Rs. 2,19,57,882 as against Rs 1,56,40,449 in the previous year. This increase is chiefly accounted for by cotton, which rose by 83 per cent, or 75 lakhs, and among other articles grain shows a great rise. The imports rose from Rs. 1,04,25,065 to Rs. 1,13,26,646, the noticeable increase being under grain, cloth, metals and timber. The rise in the imports of cloth, timber and metals indicates an enhanced purchasing power.

The following table shows the fluctuations in the trade of the State during the last twenty years:—

No.	Year.	Value of Exports	Value of Imports.
		Rs	Rs
1	1888-1889	1,65,61,819	1,08,15,105
2	1889-1890	1,50,62,992	1,04,53,989
3	1890-1891	1,95,77,119	84,35,581
4	1891-1892	1,82,41,012	90,61,634
5	1892-1893	1,97,41,027	95,47,912
6	1893-1894	2,34,22,350	1,36,64,289
7	1894-1895	1,78,77,702	1,13,11,924
8	1895-1896	1,89,76,519	1,42,01,702
9	1896-1897	2,52,17,621	1,40,62,156
10	1897-1898	1,49,26,740	1,38,75,489
11	1898-1899	1,72,53,065	1,23,90,855
12	1899-1900	1,38,47,645	1,25,09,255
13	1900-1901	44,28,760	2,49,38,685
14	1901-1902	53,86,006	1,05,99,585
15	1902-1903	56,23,159	1,08,84,735
16	1903-1904	1,29,66,048	90,96,665
17	1904-1905	2,21,46,034	97,65,112
18	1905-1906	75,66,750	1,15,17,384
19	1906-1907	1,56,40,449	1,04,25,065
20	1907-1908	2,19,57,882	1,13,26,646

The Customs Frontier Line at Viramgam.

Mention was made in previous reports of the Customs Frontier Line at Viramgam, the imposition whereof against the trade of Bhavnagar directly violated the much valued treaty rights of the State,—rights which were ac-

quired by His Highness' illustrious ancestors at the cost of valuable sacrifices. While we are preparing this report, a most gladdening news reaches us. The gloom that had spread over the ancestral and treaty rights of the State for a period of more than 4 years, has, at last, been removed. The Government of India have been pleased to reconsider their former views and have decided the question in the favour of the Bhavnagar State, upholding its claims and maintainihg its rights unimpaired and inviolate. In this success of his rights His Highness recognizes a triumph of the British sense of Justice and while therefore he naturally rejoices at the preservation of what he considered to be his own, he is the more delighted at his strong and loyal faith in eventual British justice being thus fully realized. Besides, this justice dealt out in India has a very gratifying effect in that it has spared His Highness the painful necessity of going beyond the purview of the highest British Authority in this country.

One immediate effect of this decision would be the raising of the Viramgam Frontier Line from against the Bhavnagar State and the Darbar is anxiously awaiting how the fullest effect is given by the Customs Department to the last decision of Government.

8. Public Works.

Expenditure.

The total expenditure during the year on Public Works, exclusive of expenditure on Revenue Account on the Bhavnagar Integral Railway, amounted to Rs. 3,43,508 as against Rs. 2,85,723 in the preceding year. The necessary details of this expenditure will be found in Appendix **XIX.**

Harbour.

Dredging in the Bhavnagar Harbour continued as usual. The mud dredged during the year under notice was 108,950 tons as against 191,700 tons in the preceding year, and the depth dredged was 15 feet. The cost per ton came to 11$\frac{3}{4}$ pies as against 11 pies in the preceding year.

Light-houses.

The light-houses at the various Bandars were efficiently looked after and continued in good order.

9. Railway.

The Bhavnagar Integral Railway, which was one of the first great undertakings initiated by His Highness' lamented father, dates back to the famine year 1877-78, and it has been of the highest utility to the State and to other parts of the Province of Kathiawad. It is the sole property of the Bhavnagar State. It runs from Bhavnagar to Wadhwan in the north and to Dhasa in the south and extends for 120·33 miles besides 17 miles of sidings. The Bhavnagar Dock Estate has been connected with the Railway line running from the Bhavnagar Terminus.

Gross Earnings.

The gross earnings of the Railway from 1st November 1906 to 31st October 1907 amounted to Rs. 10,60,149 as against Rs. 9,87,786 in the preceding year.

Revenue Expenditure.

The expenditure on Revenue Account was Rs. 4,37,466 as against Rs. 4,08,325 in the previous year.

Net Earnings.

The net earnings of the line were Rs. 6,22,683 as against Rs. 5,79,461 in 1906-07, yielding a return of 7·87 per cent on the capital outlay, as against 7·34 per cent in the last year.

Capital Outlay.

At the close of the year under report the Bhavnagar share of the total capital outlay, including suspense, was Rs. 79,09,838, while the total net earnings amounted to Rs. 1,10,57,050, the excess of earnings over the capital outlay being Rs. 31,47,212.

Through-booking.

Through-booking of goods from stations on the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway to Bombay and *vice versa* by sea continues to be worked under contract with the Bombay Steam Navigation Company and the Bhavnagar State Carting Agency established at Bombay for serving the through traffic with this line has been transferred to the Bombay Steam Navigation Company under an agreement.

Other Railways managed by the B.-G.-J.-P.Board.

Jamnagar, Dhrangadra and the Jetalsar-Rajkot Railways are being worked by the Board of the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway, and the recent conversion of the Morvi Railway into metre-gauge has raised the question of its working. It is hoped that in arriving at a decision on that point the Government will not overlook the claims of the Proprietors of this Railway, with their long experience of working so complicated a system as the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway.

Ranpur-Dhandhuka-Dholka Railway.

The question of the construction of this Railway is still pending the decision of the Government of India. With a view to facilitate their decision the Bhavnagar State and the Ahmedabad-Dholka Railway (represented by Messrs. Killick Nixon and. Co.) mutually arrived at an amicable arrangement in the matter, which was communicated to the Railway Board of the Government of India. The B. B. & C. I. Railway, however, having intervened, the Railway Board desired the three parties concerned to meet and see if it was not possible to arrive at some reasonable understanding in the matter. Accordingly the parties held two Conferences in Bombay, and it is hoped that after a careful consideration of the papers the Board will now come to a final decision on this long-delayed question. Much useful correspondence has since passed between the State and the Railway Board for the mention of which an annual report is not the proper place. But it may be confidently anticipated that the claims of the friendly and important State of Bhavnagar will not be overlooked.

CHAPTER V.

FINANCIAL REVIEW.

☞ *The figures given below are subject to alteration at the closing of the year's accounts.*

1. General.

The financial year of the State begins on 1st November and ends on 31st October, and the figures throughout this Chapter relate to that period. Appendix **XXII.** will give a general view of the financial situation of the State at the end of the year under report. It will be seen that as against Dues, Loans, Advances, Investments and cash balance amounting in all to Rs. 1,63,38,210 there are Deposits and Debts to the extent of Rs. 58,65,783, leaving Rs. 1,04,72,427 to the good.

2. Revenue and Expenditure.

The details with regard to the gross revenue and expenditure of the State during the year under report are given in Appendix **XXII.-A** of which the following is a summary :—

	Revenue.				Expenditure.			
	Samvat 1962.	Samvat 1963.	Increase.	Decrease.	Samvat 1962.	Samvat 1963.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
State ...	32,99,582	35,79,369	2,79,787	...	33,97,553	33,17,209	...	80,344
Railway ...	9,87,786	10,60,149	72,363	...	4,08,325	4,37,466	29,141	...
Total ...	42,87,368	46,39,518	3,52,150	...	38,05,878	37,54,675	...	51,203

There are no items on either side of the account that call for a special remark, except that the figures of revenue collections evidence better season-conditions.

Out of the 30 lakhs loan of Samvat 1956, only Rs. 3,75,000 remained due at the close of the year under review, and in April 1908, the State paid off the last instalment aforesaid, and cleared the debt.

Savings Bank.

The Darbar Savings Bank continues to rise in usefulness, the balance of deposits at the end of the year being nearly 22 lakhs as against 20 lakhs of the previous year.

3. Bhavnagar State Bonds.

The interest of these Bonds was paid regularly. The Bonds continue to rise in popularity, being quoted at a premium.

CHAPTER VI.

VITAL STATISTICS AND MEDICAL RELIEF.

I. Medical.

Total Number of Dispensaries.

During the year under report the total number of Institutions that gave Medical Relief in the State was 19, comprising one Hospital, five Dispensaries, one Darbari Aushadhalaya in the town of Bhavnagar, 10 Dispensaries in the different mahals of the State, a small Dispensary in connection with Sir Takhtsinhji Poor-house at the village Adhevada, and a temporary Dispensary at Vartej which was opened on the 5th December 1906 on account of the addition to the Vartej population caused by the prevalence of plague in Bhavnagar.

The temporary Dispensary at Vartej was closed on the 10th January 1907 as the Bhavnagar population returned to their homes.

Number of Patients treated and Average Attendance.

In all these Institutions 130,570 patients were treated during the year under notice against 137,926 in the last year, showing a decrease of 7,356. Of the patients so treated, 129,800 were out-patients, and 770 in-patients, against 137,089 and 837 respectively in the preceding year. The total daily average attendance of out-door and in-door patients at all the Institutions was 2,696 against 2,793 in the previous year, and the daily average number of in-door patients in the Sir Takhtsinhji Hospital was 44·3 against 45·4 last year. Details will be found in Appendix **XXIII.**

Prevailing Diseases.

Skin diseases stand at the head of the list of prevailing diseases. Next in order of frequency were malarious fevers, diseases of the digestive system, eye, respiratory system, &c., as given below :—

	Percentage.
Diseases of the Skin	22·7
Malarial Fevers	15·4
Diseases of the Digestive System ...	12·4
„ „ Eye	11·2
„ „ Respiratory System ...	7·7
„ „ Ear	4·6
„ „ Connective Tissue ...	4·0
Wounds and Injuries	3·9
Rheumatic Affections	2·7
Diseases of the Nervous System	2·2
Dysentry	2·3
Syphilitic Affections	0·9
Diseases of the Generative System ...	1·2
Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion ...	1·3
Debility	0·8
Worms	0·6
All other general diseases	6·1
	100·0

Plague.

As mentioned in last year's report plague which had commenced in the town of Bhavnagar in November 1906 continued in a mild form till the end of April 1907. The mortality from this cause stood at 491 against 259 during the previous year, out of 717 plague cases recorded.

The towns of Mahuva, Botad, Rajula, Umrala, Kundla and Lilia became infected in the year under report. In Mahuva the epidemic commenced on 13th August and disappeared on 21st November 1907, the number of cases admitted being 367, of whom 107 were discharged cured and 260 proved fatal. In Botad it began on 17th October 1907 and continued till 1st December 1907, the number of cases admitted being 58, of whom 19 were discharged cured and 39 died. In Rajula it began on the 22nd October 1907 and continued till 6th December 1907, the number of cases treated being 92, of whom 26 were discharged cured and 66 died. In Umrala it began on 29th January 1908 and continued at the close of the year, the number of cases admitted being 28, of whom 9 were discharged cured and 19 proved fatal. In Kundla it began on the 3rd February 1908 and continues still. In Lilia it began on the 19th February 1908 and continues still.

Cholera.

No case of cholera occured during the year.

Small-pox.

A few cases of small-pox were reported at Mahuva from April to August 1907, and in Bhavnagar in February and March 1908.

Measles.

A mild type of measles was reported to have prevailed in Bhavnagar and Mahuva in April and continued till September 1907 and re-appeared in February and March 1908.

Chicken-pox.

Only one case of chicken-pox was brought for treatment in February in the Bhavnagar Takhtsinhji Hospital.

Poisoning.

The total number of cases of poisoning treated during the year was 179, of whom 6 proved fatal, and the rest were cured. The details of the cases will be found in Appendix **XXVII.**

Surgical Operations.

The total number of surgical operations performed during the year was 4,075 as against 4,014 during the last year. Of these, 331 were major, and 3,744 minor operations, as per details given in Appendix **XXVIII.**

Most of the important operations took place at the Takhtsinhji Hospital. For crushing stone in the bladder 29 individuals were operated upon of whom 11 were male adults, 2 female adults, 13 male children, and 3 female children. Of these, 27 were discharged cured, 1 relieved, and 1 is under treatment. The largest stone crushed weighed 2 ounces 4 drachms 45 grains and the smallest 16 grains. All were finished in one sitting, except one which required two sittings. The oldest man treated was 60 years of age, and the youngest, 3 years. The remaining case of last year was discharged cured.

Cataract.

Extraction of Lens was performed in 15 cases. Of these, 12 were performed in the Takhtsinhji Hospital, and 3 were performed in the Sir Jaswantsinghji Dispensary. Three cases more were treated at the Sir Jaswantsinghji Dispensary with solution. Of these, 16 were discharged cured, 1 relieved, and 1 proved unsucessful on account of complications.

2. Vaccination.

Successful and Unsuccessful Cases.

The number of persons vaccinated and re-vaccinated during the year under report was 11,740 against 7,869 during the preceding year. Of these, 11,601 were primarily vaccinated, the number of operations being 11,641 and 139 were cases of re-vaccination. Among the operations of primary vaccination 11,171 were successful and 329 unsuccessful, the result in 141 cases being unknown on account of the children not having been brought for inspection. In 139 cases vaccination was performed a second time out of which 128 were successful and 11 unsuccessful.

Classification.

Of persons primarily vaccinated, 10,221 were Hindus, 1,033 Mussalmans, 6 Parsees, 9 Christians, and 332 of other castes. Classifying them according to sex 5,710 were males and 5,891 females and of those re-vaccinated 104 males and 35 females, making a total of 5,814 males and 5,926 females.

Percentage.

The percentage of successful operations among primary vaccinations was 95·9 and among re-vaccinations 92·0, the ratio per 1,000 of population working to 27·3.

Inspection.

Out of 658 villages in the State 604 were visited by Vaccinators, 54 only remaining unvisited. The Inspector visited 329 villages and inspected 9,472 children as against 238 villages and 7,482 children in the preceding year.

Cost.

The total cost to the Darbar under this head was Rs. 4,913, the cost for each successful case coming to Re. 0-6-11 against Re. 0-10-3 in the preceding year.

Further details can be seen from Appendices **XXIX.** and **XXX.**

3. Veterinary.

No epidemic cattle-disease was reported during the year.

Veterinary Hospital.

The Bhavnagar Veterinary Hospital was built by the Darbar about 27 years ago, and all expenditure in connection therewith is defrayed by the State.

Excluding 3 animals under treatment at the close of the last year, 3,512 animals were admitted during the year. Out of these, 326 animals were treated as in-patients, of which 2 died, 1 was relieved, 319 were cured, and 4 remained in the Hospital for treatment at the close of the year.

CHAPTER VII.
PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

1. Education.

Institutions.

The Educational Institutions of the State consist of one Arts College, one High School, 7 Middle Schools, 144 Primary Schools, including 19 Girls' Schools, 3 Sanskrit Pathshalas and an Urdu School, and four Aided Schools. In Appendices **XXV.** and **XXV.-A** will be found the details with regard to the pupils, attendance, receipts and expenditure of all these Institutions, as compared with those of the previous year. There has been an increase of one in the number of Middle Schools this year, and it is due to the fact that an English class teaching up to Standard III. has been opened in connection with the Local Vernacular High School and placed under the charge of a separate Teacher on a monthly salary of Rs. 35. The number of Boys' and Girls' Primary Schools which was 139 last year, has also been increased by 5, thus showing the total number of Primary Schools to be 144, three Boys' Primary Schools being recently opened at Bagdana under Mahuva, Amberdi under Kundla, Mota Surka, under Sihor, and two Girls' Schools being opened at Dungar under Rajula and Tana under Sihor. The average monthly number of pupils and their average daily attendance were better than in the previous year.

Mission Schools.

The two Mission Schools were conducted in Bhavnagar, one for boys and the other for girls.

Private Schools.

Besides the Mission Schools there were 8 Private Schools in the State in the year under report, as per list given in Appendix **XXV.-B.**

Indigenous Schools.

There were also 53 Indigenous Schools attended by 3,215 pupils as against the same number attended by the same number of pupils so that there has been no increase either in the number of Indigenous Schools or in the number of pupils attending them.

Scholarships.

Besides spending liberally upon Education in the State, the Darbar maintains a number of pupils at several Institutions outside Bhavnagar, as will be seen from the Statement given in Appendix **XXV.-C.** The total number of scholarships granted in the year under report was 79 and their aggregate Rs. 15,690 as against 77 scholarships and their aggregate cost Rs. 14,970 respectively in the preceding year. Two new scholarships were granted during the year under report, one for the study of Electrical Engineering and the other for commercial instructions.

Samaldas College.

The following figures show the number of students and ex-students sent

by the Samaldas College, and of those who passed the various University Examinations :—

Examination.	1906–1907.		1907–1908.	
	No. of Students and Ex-students.		No. of Students and Ex-students.	
	Sent up.	Passed.	Sent up.	Passed.
Previous	40	16	36	16
Intermediate	12	8	12	3
Senior B. A.	13	6	20	11
M. A.	1	1	4	1
First LL. B.	7	2	8	4

Of the 16 who passed the Previous Examination, two were placed in the second-class, and of the 3 that passed the Intermediate, one got a second-class, and of the 11 that passed the Senior B. A., one got a second-class.

University Requirements.

Acting upon the suggestion of the University authorities the Darbar spent Rs. 4,715 during the year in extending the existing accommodation for students in residence and in providing suitable kitchens. A further sum of Rs. 6,328 has been spent in purchasing lands adjacent to the College for building thereon a bungalow for the Principal or one of the Professors.

Alfred High School.

This school sent up 51 students to the Matriculation Examination, of whom 14 came out successful. The annual examination was, as usual, conducted by the Head-master with the help of his Assistants, and the results were satisfactory.

Middle Schools.

The progress of these schools was satisfactory. The schools at Mahuva, Kundla and Botad were examined by the Head-masters of the respective schools. The school at Sihor was examined by the Director of State Education. During the year under report Mr. Devashanker Kalidas, 11th Assistant Master in the Local High School, passed the Secondary Teachers' Certificate Examination.

Primary Schools.

The primary schools (for boys as well as girls) were, as usual, examined by the Inspectors, and the results were reported to be satisfactory. The methods of teaching appear to be slowly but surely improving.

Aided Schools.

The progress of these schools was also reported to be satisfactory. The Sanatan Dharma School which was permitted to open a Fourth Standard Class last year has been doing good work quietly and unostentatiously. The special feature of this school lies in giving moral and religious instruction to all pupils.

Education of the Cultivator Class.

The number of pupils of this class attending the several schools of the State has increased from 1,180 to 1,201, and it is a matter for satisfaction to observe that it has now begun to shake off its lethargy and

become alive to the benefits of Education. The distribution of these is given below :—

Institution.	1906-1907.		1907-1908.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
The Alfred High School	...	...	...	...
The Anglo-Vernacular Schools	112	...	59	...
Vernacular Schools	1,022	46	1,097	45
Total... ...	1,134	46	1,156	45
Grand Total... ...	1,180		1,201	

Much encouragement is given by the Darbar to the education of Grasias, Mahomedans and other backward classes. During the year under review all the Girasia scholarships attached to the High School and the Anglo-Vernacular School were given to suitable and deserving candidates, and it is hoped that the other backward classes will move on with the times and be ready to avail themselves of the Educational facilities offered to them by the Darbar in order to raise their Educational and social status. **Education of the Backward Classes.**

These Shikshaka-Samajas were asked to continue their useful work of the explanation and propagation of improved methods of teaching as heretofore. **Teachers' Associations.**

2. Physical Education.

The Samaldas College Gymkhana continues to flourish under the liberal grant given by the Darbar. In the year under report the students displayed their usual keenness for sports, and other activities. In Tennis they held their own against local teams as well as against the Junagadh and Baroda Colleges. In cricket our team scored great success against the Junagadh and Baroda College teams.

The High School Cricket Club continued to flourish during the year under review. The majority of students preferred playing Cricket to Gymnastic exercises, though they regularly attended the Gymnasium twice a week. There are now Cricket Clubs both at Sihor and Mahuva, and everywhere out-door games and sports are much indulged in.

3. Libraries and Museum.

The Barton Library at Bhavnagar which is located near the Ruvapari Gate, has a well chosen collection of books on literature, history, philosophy, &c., besides a considerable number of Sanskrit works, printed and in manuscript. 110 new volumes were added during the year, bringing the total number of books in the Library to 5,810. It subscribed to 17 papers and 40 periodicals, English as well as Vernacular, in addition to 19 papers and 4 periodicals supplied by the Darbar. The number of subscribers on the Register was 256 as **Barton Library**

against 246 last year, and the subscriptions received amounted to Rs. 930 against Rs. 823. The number of books issued during the year was 5,212 against 4,972. Thus there has been an increase of 240 in the number of books issued. The total expenditure during the year was Rs. 2,541 of which a part was met from subscriptions, and the deficiency was paid by the Darbar. An annual grant of Rs. 1,800 has been sanctioned towards meeting deficiency at the end of every year.

District Libraries.

Besides the Barton Library, there are about eighteen Libraries or reading rooms in the State which have a fair stock of books and newspapers and are supported by the Darbar. Some of the Libraries at the head-quarters of the Districts are housed in buildings provided out of funds collected by the people in memory of His Highness the late Maharaja Sir Takhtsinhji.

Museum.

Attached to the Barton Library is a Museum of antiquities which contains an interesting collection of rare and precious coins and specimens of local manufacture as well as works of art and industry. All the articles placed in it have been classified. It also contains interesting collections of arms and armour used by the former Rulers of the State.

CHAPTER VIII.

MISCELLANEOUS.

1. State Printing Press.

The total receipts were Rs. 27,344 and the total expenditure Rs. 22,599 as against Rs. 29,860 and Rs. 16,930 respectively in the preceding year.

The periodicals printed were the monthly *Darbari Gazette* and the *Kavyapremi*.

There are three private Printing Presses in the State.

2. The Takhtsinhji Poor-House.

This poor-house at Adhevada continued to be managed by the Rajya-kharcha Department of the State. The inmates of the house were fed and clothed by the Darbar at a cost of Rs. 2,232. The number of the poor who took advantage of this institution was 14,393 as against 27,162 last year. The number at the end of the year was 57, of which 23 and 15 were adult men and women, 13 and 6 boys and girls. Two of the boys attended at the school.

Besides maintaining this poor-house a sum of Rs. 56,863 was spent by the Darbar under the supervision of the Rajyakharch Department in supporting a number of miscellaneous charities.

3. Stationery.

The value of stock requisitioned and supplied during the year was Rs. 4,756, and of the stock on hand at the close of the year was Rs. 3,448.

Conclusion.

In conclusion, it gives me pleasure to tender my best thanks to all the Heads of Departments and Officers, who have worked so zealously and devotedly in the performance of their respective duties, and whose hearty co-operation has largely contributed to the smooth working of the administration. I have particularly to thank my colleagues Mr. N. F. Mirza, Mr. Tribhuvandas Kalidas, and Mr. Murarji A. Tana, who have been of invaluable help to me.

Dewan Office:
Bhavnagar, 9th May 1908.

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Appendices I. to XXXIII.

(In rounding off figures fractions, annas and pies have been omitted; consequently a slight discrepancy may sometimes occur in additions and subtractions.)

APPENDIX I.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Names of High Officials showing changes in the Personnel during the year 1907-08.

Designation of Place	Name of Holder of Substantive Appointment	Date of Appointment	Cause of Vacancy	Name of Holder of Acting Appointment	Remarks
Chief Dewan	Prabhashanker D. Pattani	24-2-02	.....	.....	
Naib Dewan	Tribhuvandas Kalidas *	19-4-06	.....	.....	*Under the designation of Revenue Assistant.
Judicial Assistant	Nasarwanji Framji Mirza, B. A., LL.B. ...	22-9-04	.....	.....	
Personal Assistant	Murarji A. Tana, B. A., LL.B.	12-7-06	.....	.....	
State Engineer	E. W. Proctor-Sims	1-10-98	On leave without pay from 29-3-05.	Pestonji Burjoji, Esq. L. C. E., B. SC.	
Revenue Commissioner	... ...	...	.....	Edulji J. Sanjana.	
Chief Judge	Munchersha N. R. Ranina	22-9-04	.....	.....	
Superintendent of State Expenses ...	Rana Shri Kalubha Kaliansinhji ...	8-4-99	.....	.....	
Hazur Aid-de-Camp	Do.	1-8-97	.....	.....	
Rajyaprakarni Court Officer	Bhupatrai Vithaldas	1-9-99	.....	.....	
Chief Medical Officer	Dr. Shivnath Ramnath, L. M. & S. ...	14-12-03	.....	.....	
Chief Vakil with the Agent to the Governor	Manishanker G. Bhatt, B. A., LL. B. ..	1-12-03	.....	.....	
Controller of State Accounts... ...	Burjorji A. Entee, B. A.	26-12-06	.....	.....	
Principal, Samaldas College	Kavasji J. Sanjana, M. A.	5-4-05	.....	.....	
Director of Education	Manishanker Ratanji Bhat, B. A. ..	19-4-06	.....	.....	
Officer Commanding Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers	Zorawarsinhji Harisinhji, Lieutenant ..	4-7-05	On special duty as Military Secretary to H. H. the Maharaja Saheb, from 1st October 1907.	Devisinhji Jethibhay.	
Police Superintendent	Vishwanath Ranchhodji Joshi	22-11-06	.....	.....	
Praut Vakil	Najarali Sheriff Nathani, B. A., LL. B. ...	30-6-06	.....	.....	
Officer Commanding Bhavnagar Infantry	Rana Shri Nanbha Kaliansinhji	8-2-00	.....	.....	

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APPENDIX II.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Laws and Rules in force in 1907-08.

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Act No. I of Samvat 1920 (so far as it stands unrepealed).	Criminal Procedure Code ... .. Amended by— (1) Act III. of 1922. (2) Reso. No. 56 of 1944. (3) ,, 144 of 1945. (4) ,, 108 of 1960.	.....	
Act No. II. of Samvat 1920 (so far as it stands unrepealed).	Limitation and Legal Practitioners...	.....	
Act No. I. of Samvat 1923.	Regulating the Fees of Legal Practitioners.	.....	
Act No. II. of Samvat 1923.	Stamp Law ... ... Amended by— Act No. II. of Samvat 1941.	.....	
Resolution No. 1*a* of Samvat 1923, dated 22-11 66.	Prohibiting Alienation of Alienated Lands. Supplemented by— Resolution No. 48 of 1945.		
Act I. of Samvat 1927..	Municipal Law ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 1*b* of 1929, dated 28-2-73. (2) ,, 99 of 1944. (3) ,, 15 of 1948. (4) ,, 22 ,, (5) ,, 33 of 1951. (6) ,, 51 ,, (7) ,, 93 ,, (8) ,, 129 of 1952. (9) ,, 14 of 1955. (10) ,, 25 of 1958. (11) ,, 242 of 1961. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 22 of 1950. (2) ,, 143 ,, (3) ,, 84 ,, (4) ,, 40 of 1951. (5) ,, 280 ,, (6) ,, 50 ,, (7) ,, 10 of 1952. (8) ,, 15 ,, (9) ,, 15 of 1953.	.....	

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. I. of 1927	Customs Law* ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 106 of 1932. (2) ,, ,, 114 of 1939. (3) ,, ,, 981 of 1945. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 25 of 1949. (2) Port & Dock Estate Rules of 1952, dated 26-10-96. (3) Reso. No. 1717 of 1962. (4) Amended by Reso. No. 1409 of 1864.	..... Adapted.	
Resolution No. 12 of Samvat 1930.	Prohibiting Darbari Servants from dealing with Grasias, &c., or trading. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 38 of St. 1946. (2) ,, ,, 28 ,, 1948.	....	
Resolution No. 803 of Samvat 1930.	Prevention of Frauds in the Cotton Trade in Bhavnagar.	.....	
Resolution No. 1091 of Samvat 1930.	Prevention of Frauds in the Cotton Trade in Mahuva.	.....	
Resolution No. 198 of Samvat 1931.	Regulating Import of Lead and Saltpetre.	Adapted.	
Act III. of Samvat 1938.	Inspection of Steam-boilers and Prime-movers. (1) Reso. No. 51 of 1963. (2) Amended by Reso. No. 64 of 1963.	,,	
Resolution No. 1c of Samvat 1939, dated 30-10-83.	Salt-Law ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 125 of 1951. (2) ,, ,, 90 of 1952.	,,	
Act II. of Samvat 1940.	Registration Law	,,	
Act I. of Samvat 1941.	Succession Certificate and Letters of Administration.	.....	
Resolution No. 1278 of Samvat 1943.	Inquiry into and Settlement of Alienated Lands, &c.	.....	
Resolution No. 106 of Samvat 1944.	Examination of Candidates for Clerical Service.	.....	
Resolution No. 238 of Samvat 1945.	Petitions against Darbari Servants and their inquiry.	.....	
Resolution No. 381 of Samvat 1945.	Grant-in-aid to Private Schools ...	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1946.	Prevention of Cruelty to Animals ...	,,	

* *(a)* With regard to trade to and from foreign ports, the customs tariff is the same as in British India.

(b) The working of the customs houses and the methods and arrangement for collection of customs duties are on the same lines as those obtaining at British Indian Ports.

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Act III. of Samvat 1946.	Public Conveyances	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 660 of Samvat 1946.	Leave Rules ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 14 of 1955. (2) ,, ,, 6 of 1957. (3) Supplemented by Reso. No. 50 of 1963.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1947...	Court-fees Act ... ... Bye-rules—Reso. No. 64 of 1955.	Adapted.	
Act III. of Samvat 1947.	Prevention of Gambling ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 22 of 1952. (2) ,, ,, 1 of 1956.	,,	
Resolution No. 95 of Samvat 1947.	Regulating the Police of Giras and Alienated Villages.	.....	
Resolution No. 336 of Samvat 1947.	Regulating Fees to be charged by Medical Officers of the State. Supplemented by Reso. No. 24 of 1961.	.....	
Resolution No. 156 of Samvat 1947.	Prohibiting Darbari Servants from accepting presents from subordinates	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1948...	Penal Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 93 of 1950. (2) ,, ,, 268 of 1951. (3) ,, ,, 2 of 1952. (4) ,, ,, 107 ,, (5) ,, ,, 108 of 1960.	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1948.	Police Act ... ... (1) Bye-rules, Reso. No. 264 of 1950. (2) ,, ,, ,, 193 of 1953. (3) ,, ,, ,, 226 of 1954. (4) ,, ,, ,, 53 of 1959. Bye-rules—Resolution No 264 of 1950. Supplemented by Reso. No. 72 of 1963.	,,	
Act III. of Samvat 1948.	Revenue Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 1602 of 1955. (2) ,, ,, 725 of 1956. (3) ,, ,, 375 of 1958. (4) ,, ,, 376 of ,, (5) ,, ,, 1070 of 1961.	,,	

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. 30 of Samvat 1948.	Constitution, &c., of Criminal Courts.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 13 of Samvat 1948.	Military Rules ... ... Supplemented by Reso. No. 17 of 1951.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1949.	Civil Procedure Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 134 of 1951. (2) ,, ,, 1602 of 1955. Bye-rules ,, ,, 64 of ,, ,, ,, ,, 23 of 1963.	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1949.	Civil Courts Act	,,	
Act I. of Samvat 1952...	Factories Act	,,	
Resolution No. 127 of Samvat 1952.	Offences against the Post Office and Savings Bank.	,,	
Resolution No. 330 of Samvat 1952.	Plague Inspection and Quarantine. Supplemented by— (1) No. 51 of 1953. (2) ,, 63 ,, ,, (3) ,, 66 ,, ,, (4) ,, 14 ,, ,, (5) ,, 7 of 1954. (6) ,, 1 of 1955. (7) ,, 2 ,, ,, (8) ,, 11 ,, ,, (9) ,, 1 of 1956.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1953...	Game-Laws	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1953.	Account Code ... ... Amended by Reso. No. 225 of 1955.	.....	
Resolution No. 43 of Samvat 1953.	Famine Code...	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 8 of Samvat 1953.	Printing Presses ... ... Supplemented by No. 11 of 1953.		
Resolution No. 15 of Samvat 1953.	Registration of Deaths	.....	
Resolution No. 14 of Samvat 1953.	Registration of Births and Deaths ...	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1954..	Compulsory Service	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1955...	Cattle-Trespass	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 8 of Samvat 1955.	Prohibiting Alienation of Lands and Haks by Bhayats and Mul-grasias.	.....	

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. 1366 of Samvat 1955.	Establishment of the Rajyaprakarni Daftar for the disposal of disputes of Bhayats and Mul-grasias, &c. Amended by Reso. No. 1534 of 1955.	.....	
Resolution No. 1709 of Samvat 1955.	Excise Duty on Woven Goods ... Amended by— Reso. No. 328 of 1957.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 1301 of Samvat 1955.	Boundary Marks	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1956..	Paupers and Vagrants ... ... Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 3 of 1956. (2) „ „ 7 „ „	.....	
Act II. of Samvat 1956.	Arms Act ... ... Amended by Reso. No. 23 of 1963.	.....	
Resolution No. 317 of Samvat 1957.	Passenger Ships	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 96 of Samvat 1957.	Explosives	.....	
Resolution No. 192 of Samvat 1957.	Opium Law ... ... Supplemented by Reso. No. 1292 of 1958.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 7 of Samvat 1958.	Darbar Savings Bank ... ... (1) Amended by Reso. No. 169 of 1963.	.....	
Resolution No. 13 of Samvat 1958.	Pension	.....	
Resolution No. 1489 of Samvat 1958.	Regulating the Levy of *Khushki Jakat.*	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1960..	State Bonds Act		
Resolution No. 299 of Samvat 1960.	Summary Disposal of certain mercantile disputes. Amended with regard to Stamp Duty by Reso. No. 74 of 1960. Bye-rules,—Reso No. 1071 of 1961.	....	
Resolution No. 118 of Samvat 1961.	Controlling Sale of Cocaine and Morphia. Supplemented by Reso. No. 363 of 1964.	....	

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APPENDIX III.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, and Other Particulars of the Imperial Service Lancers for 1907-08.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.								Details of Force at end of the Current Year.				Total cost on account of pay and allowance of the Force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the Current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of Guns.	Number of Men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, Deserted, &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
													Rs	
Imperial Service Troops ...	274	58	3	...	40	289	B. I. S. L.	*Nil.*	...	12	30	247	1,58,265	This sum includes Rs 12,400 given to the Regimental Grass Fund by the State which sum would otherwise fall under forage compensation

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APPENDIX III.-A.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, and other Particulars of the Infantry or Armed Police for 1907-08.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.						Details of Force at the end of the Current Year.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the Force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of Guns.	Number of Men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, Deserted, &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
													Rs	
Artillery	18	...	...	...	...	18	B. S. I.	6	...	...	...	18	59,662	There is no separate artillery in the State. The duties are performed by a party of the Infantry specially trained for the purpose.
Infantry	257	31	4	...	21	263		...	...	8	34	263		
Total... ...	275	31	4	...	21	281	...	6	...	8	34	281	59,662	

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APPENDIX IV.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, Discipline and Education of the Police for the year 1907-08.

Description of Office.	Number.	Pay of Grade.	Horse Allowance.	Total Monthly Cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education.		Remarks.
					Dismissed	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By Promotion.	By Money.	Number able to read and write.	Number under Instruction.	
		Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Police Superintendent	1	300 0 0	60 0 0	360 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Assistant Police Superintendent .	1	140 0 0	40 0 0	180 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
First Class Foujdars	3	50 0 0	20 0 0	190 0 0	...	1	...	1	1	3	..	One Foujdar works as a Shirastedar, does not get horse-allowance.
Second „	3	40 0 0	20 0 0	195 0 0	...	1	...	1	...	3	...	One Foujdar gets Rs. 10 more than his grade and one Foujdar gets Rs. 5 more than his grade as personal pay.
Third „	3	35 0 0	20 0 0	165 0 0	...	1	...	2	...	3	...	
Fourth „	4	30 0 0	20 0 0	180 0 0	...	2	...	2	..	4	...	One Foujdar works as Accountant Foujdar, does not get allowance.
First Class Naib Foujdars ...	6	25 0 0	5 0 0	180 0 0	...	1	...	3	...	6	...	
Second „	13	20 0 0	5 0 0	320 0 0	...	2	...	2	...	13	...	One Naib Foujdar works as a Clerk, and does not get allowance.
Third „	7	15 0 0	5 0 0	140 0 0	1	3	...	3	...	7	...	
Jamadars...	22	15 0 0	...	333 0 0	1	2	...	4	3	21	...	One Jamadar getting Rs. 3 as personal allowance.
Havaldars	77	12 0 0	...	924 0 0	...	5	...	5	4	66	3	
First Class Constables	70	10 0 0	...	700 0 0	2	24	...	11	5	61	11	
Second „	155	9 0 0	...	1,395 0 0	7	39	...	19	8	85	35	
Third „	274	8 0 0	...	2,192 0 0	15	128	...	...	3	103	29	
Faras	1	4 8 0	...	4 8 0	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Boy	1	8 0 0	...	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Chowkidars	75	4 to 9 0 0	...	467 0 0	5	16	...	...	...	...	...	
Detective...	1	20 0 0	...	20 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Daffedars...	5	32 0 0	...	160 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Sowars, Class I.	15	27 0 0	...	405 0 0	...	...	...	...	1	5	...	The Salary of Daffedars and Sowars includes horse allowance.
„ II.	15	26 0 0	...	390 0 0	...	...	...	2	...	11	...	
„ III.	16	25 0 0	...	400 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	
Sandhani Sowar...	1	22 0 0	...	22 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	
Total... ...	769	...	...	9,330 8 0	32	225	...	53	27	413	78	

Rs 9,330-8-0 × 12 = Rs 1,11,966 annual cost of pay allowances.

„ 9,426 Contingent, travelling expenses, dress and repairing expenses.

Rs 1,2,392 Total annual expenditure.

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APPENDIX V.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the working of the Police during the year 1907-08.

1 Number of offences.		2 Number of accused arrested.		3 Number of accused sent for trial.		4 Number of accused convicted.		5 Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		6 Percentage of convictions to arrests (columns 2 & 4).		7 Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		8 Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
453	406	593	667	589	559	427	374	152	73	72	56	72·49	66·89	

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APPENDIX VI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the value of property stolen and amount of recoveries during the year 1907—08.

Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Percentage of recoveries of property stolen.		Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
Rs a. p.	Rs	Rs a. p.	Rs			
6,373 0 0	15,349	4,573 0 0	4,032	71·75	26·26	The value of the property actually stolen this year is about Rs 4,899 and the value recovered is about Rs 3,732 which brings the percentage to 76·17. This actual percentage is lowered in this return by the incorporation of the value of the property stolen in 1904 from Shantibhuvan Guest House, estimated to be Rs 10,450-0-0 and of Rs 300-0-0 which is the value of the recovered property.

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APPENDIX VII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Number of Crimes committed, Number of Cases disposed of, and Cases awaiting trial in the year 1907-08.

Tribunals.	DESCRIPTION AND NUMBER OF OFFENCES.											Number of cases disposed of during past year.	Number of cases disposed of during present year.	Number of persons apprehended.	Number of persons convicted.	NUMBER OF PERSONS SENTENCED.							Number of persons acquitted or discharged.	Number of Persons confined being insane.	Number of persons committed to Sessions Courts.	Number of persons died during or before trial.	TERM OF IMPRISONMENT.										Capital Punishment.	Awaiting Trial.
	Balance from the past year.	COMMITTED DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.														IMPRISONMENT.		IMPRISONMENT AND FINE.		Fine	Whipping	Total.					Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Transportation.		
		Murder.	Culpable Homicide not amounting to Murder.	Grievous Hurt.	Hurt.	Dacoity.	Robbery.	House-breaking.	Theft.	Miscellaneous.	Total.					Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.																		
Chief Judge's Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	3	15	...	15	...	...	...	...	15	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7	2	...
Joint Chief Judge's Court...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	23	7	20	1	19	...	...	...	...	20	26	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	2	6	6	2	...	...	9
Bhavnagar Foujdari Court...	...	2	2	10	315	...	5	22	116	3,028	3,500	1,411	1,807	2,158	1,571	4	37	9	43	1,467	11	1,571	556	...	26	...	60	10	4	6	10	1	...	2	...	...	...	5
Mahuva Court	...	...	...	22	170	...	...	9	69	365	635	120	101	434	63	1	29	...	5	28	...	63	356	...	9	...	7	4	2	6	15	1	...	...	...	...	...	6
Kundla ,, ...	1	...	7	67	...	...	1	24	158	258	94	73	228	74	1	23	...	3	47	...	74	140	...	14	...	8	10	5	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Talaja ,, ...	2	...	1	42	...	...	1	18	126	193	40	35	271	22	...	7	...	6	9	...	22	241	...	8	...	10	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lilia ,, ...	...	1	1	35	...	1	2	4	55	97	19	25	55	10	...	4	...	...	6	...	10	39	...	2	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Sihor ,, ...	...	2	5	43	...	2	2	25	136	215	39	48	213	51	...	6	...	10	35	...	51	156	...	2	...	7	5	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Umrala ,, ...	...	...	...	...	43	...	...	1	15	117	176	29	49	139	61	2	9	...	14	36	...	61	76	...	3	...	11	6	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gadhada ,, ...	...	...	...	2	35	...	...	2	9	66	114	44	27	122	22	...	1	2	5	14	...	22	100	...	...	...	3	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Botad ,, ...	...	...	...	3	20	...	...	7	7	71	108	32	23	294	12	...	1	...	7	4	...	12	43	...	2	...	1	2	...	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...
Total.....	...	5	5	51	768	...	8	50	287	4,122	5,296	1,864	2,217	3,834	1,921	9	151	11	93	1,646	11	1,921	1,738	...	65	...	108	47	19	21	32	6	6	8	8	7	2	175

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APPENDIX VIII.

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Statement showing the Number of Offences reported and dealt with by the various Courts during the year 1907-08.

Tribunals	Number of offences reported during the year.		Number of Persons dealt with.								Persons disposed of.					Persons remaining at the end of year.	Remarks.
			Remaining at the end of the last year.	Brought to trial in 1907-1908.							Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.		
				Arrested by Police.	Upon Warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntary.	Brought before Magistrate by extradition.	Total.								
	Past Year.	Present Year.							Past Year.	Present Year.							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Chief Judge's Court ...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	5	15	...	...	...	Exclusive of 17 committed by lower Courts.
Joint Chief Judge's Court	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	8	7	...	26	20	...	...	9	Do. 48 do.
Bhavnagar Foujdari Court	1,920	3,500	5	207	123	1,817	...	6	1,768	2,158	43	513	1,571	26	...	5	
Mahuva Court ...	587	635	3	59	109	256	..	7	529	434	253	103	63	9	...	6	
Kundla „ ...	333	258	...	75	43	99	...	11	228	228	47	93	74	14	...	...	
Talaja „ ...	200	193	...	27	13	222	2	7	161	271	163	73	22	8	...	...	
Lilia „ ...	67	97	...	13	14	28	...	...	43	55	13	26	10	2	...	4	
Sihor „ ...	192	215	...	37	70	104	...	2	153	213	103	53	51	2	...	4	
Umrala „ ...	134	176	2	49	8	76	1	3	86	139	50	26	61	2	...	...	
Gadhada „ ...	116	114	...	14	5	96	6	1	163	122	76	24	22	...	...	...	
Botad „ ...	84	108	2	78	97	27	...	...	75	204	11	32	12	2	...	147	
Total ...	3,638	5,296	22	559	482	2,725	9	37	3,209	3,834	764	974	1,921	65	...	175	

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APPENDIX IX.

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Statement showing the Results of Appeals against Decisions passed by the Criminal Courts during the year 1907-08.

Tribunals.	Number of Applications	NUMBER OF PERSONS AND CASES.																		Remarks.
		Applications rejected.		SENTENCES.						Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further Enquiry, &c., Ordered.		Pending.				
				Confirmed.		Modified.		Reversed.												
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	
Hazur Court	17	...	...	26	13	...	...	8	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1			
Chief Judge's Court	60	...	...	30	19	36	21	35	16	...	...	...	...	4	3	1	1			
Total	77	...	...	56	32	36	21	43	19	...	...	...	...	4	3	5	2			

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APPENDIX X.

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CIVIL WORK.—Nature and Value of Original Suits filed and disposed of in the Year 1907-08.

Tribunal	Opening balance.		Filed during the year, received by transfer or on remand.		Total.		Disposed of during the year.		Closing balance.		Suits filed during present Year.										Suits disposed of during present Year.							Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value.	Suits by landed proprietors.	Suits for money transactions.	Suits for other rights.	Number of suits under Rs. 100.	Number of suits above Rs. 100 and under Rs. 500.	Number of suits above Rs. 500 and under Rs. 1,000.	Number of suits above Rs. 1,000 and under Rs. 4,000.	Number of suits above Rs. 4,000.	Ex-parte.	Admitted, and compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.	Average Duration.		
											Rs a. p.														Rs a. p.	Y. m. d.		
Chief Judge's Court ...	1	3	1	4	2	6	...	...	2	6	24,848 0 0	...	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Joint Chief Judge's Court	6	9	5	6	11	15	2	9	9	6	24,877 0 0	...	1	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	2	53,028 0 0	1 4 3·6		
Bhavnagar Civil ,, ...	69	64	1,203	1,026	1,272	1,090	1,208	1,012	64	78	1,39,375 0 0	33	941	52	661	275	61	29	...	236	289	75	412	1,34,233 0 0	0 1 16·82		
Mahuva Court ...	61	95	1,183	971	1,244	1,066	1,149	983	95	83	98,660 0 0	3	955	13	788	142	20	21	...	378	363	...	242	1,05,160 0 0	0 2 28		
Kundla ,, ...	7	8	638	613	645	621	637	615	8	6	75,997 0 0	1	608	4	469	117	15	12	...	215	275	6	119	75,439 0 0	0 1 5·56		
Lilia ,, ...	6	18	353	311	359	329	341	314	18	15	30,524 0 0	...	311	...	220	80	9	2	...	105	73	...	136	32,585 0 0	0 2 19·08		
Talaja ,, ...	1	7	295	179	296	186	289	185	7	1	9,650 0 0	...	179	...	152	26	1	...	...	71	32	22	60	12,067 0 0	0 0 28·34		
Sihor ,, ...	10	21	340	225	350	246	329	238	21	8	25,427 0 0	6	211	8	161	54	7	3	...	59	120	...	59	28,883 0 0	0 1 17·22		
Umrala ,, ...	5	4	321	260	326	264	322	257	4	7	23,319 0 0	2	257	1	202	49	6	3	...	40	134	...	83	23,380 0 0	0 1 16		
Gadhada ,, ...	2	2	236	149	238	151	236	145	2	6	15,962 0 0	...	147	2	118	24	5	2	...	31	43	23	48	15,498 0 0	0 1 5·13		
Botad ,, ...	...	21	364	142	364	163	343	158	21	5	18,274 0 0	2	134	6	102	36	1	3	...	46	62	...	50	23,761 0 0	0 2 16		
Total ...	168	251	4,939	3,886	5,107	4,137	4,856	3,916	251	221	4,96,913 0 0	47	3,746	93	2,873	806	125	75	7	1,181	1,397	127	1,211	5,04,034 0 0	0 3 6·57		

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APPENDIX XI.

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CIVIL WORK.—Results of Applications for Execution of Decrees in the year 1907-08.

Tribunals.	Opening Balance.		Value of Opening Balance for present year.	Applications brought to the Register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing Balance.			Nature of Applications pending disposal at the close of the year.			Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Below 6 Months.	Below 12 Months.	Above 12 Months.	
			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.				
Chief Judge's Court ...	4	3	26,188 0 0	4	2	24,365 0 0	8	5	50,553 0 0	5	2	28,077 0 0	3	3	22,476 0 0	1	...	2	
Joint Chief Judge's Court	12	14	83,806 0 0	11	14	66,592 0 0	23	28	1,50,398 0 0	9	11	55,998 0 0	14	17	94,400 0 0	3	6	8	
Bhavnagar Civil Judge's Court	209	223	1,06,301 0 0	1,519	1,247	1,87,587 0 0	1,719	1,470	2,93,888 0 0	1,496	1,276	2,22,036 0 0	223	194	71,852 0 0	63	66	59	
Mahuva Court ...	85	333	1,28,653 0 0	1,221	1,192	1,67,339 0 0	2,306	1,525	2,95,992 0 0	1,973	1,431	2,52,816 0 0	333	94	43,176 0 0	37	19	38	
Kundla ,, ...	118	326	1,09,682 0 0	1,463	1,241	1,07,437 0 0	1,581	1,567	2,17,119 0 0	1,255	1,369	1,18,427 0 0	326	198	98,692 0 0	142	43	13	
Talaja ,, ...	66	199	1,19,909 0 0	868	667	63,243 0 0	934	866	1,83,152 0 0	735	694	1,58,592 0 0	199	172	24,560 0 0	37	71	64	
Lilia ,, ...	9	210	43,021 0 0	779	309	41,302 0 0	788	510	84,323 0 0	578	483	78,592 0 0	210	27	5,731 0 0	18	...	9	
Sihor ,, ...	44	136	29,996 0 0	602	313	45,148 0 0	646	449	75,144 0 0	510	390	52,920 0 0	136	59	22,224 0 0	22	13	24	
Umrala ,, ...	52	252	51,492 0 0	597	311	49,457 0 0	649	563	1,00,949 0 0	397	459	73,081 0 0	252	104	27,868 0 0	30	36	38	
Gadhada ,, ...	21	173	44,055 0 0	462	180	30,182 0 0	483	353	74,237 0 0	310	326	53,958 0 0	173	27	20,279 0 0	17	5	5	
Botad ,, ...	10	420	61,717 0 0	988	241	32,103 0 0	998	661	93,820 0 0	578	608	72,907 0 0	420	53	20,913 0 0	8	13	32	
Total ...	621	2,289	8,04,820 0 0	9,514	5,708	8,14,755 0 0	10,135	7,997	16,19,575 0 0	7,846	7,049	11,67,404 0 0	2,289	948	4,52,171 0 0	384	272	292	

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APPENDIX XII.

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CIVIL WORK.—Number and Results of Appeals in Civil Suits in the year 1907–08.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during		Total.		Disposed of during		Closing balance.		Value of Appeals filed during		How disposed of.										Average Duration.	
													Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for re-trial.		Cases compromised and otherwise disposed of.			
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.
											Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.											Y. m. d.	Y. m. d.
Hasur Court	5	6	16	28	21	34	15	25	6	9	4,550 0 0	4,775 0 0	9	10	2	11	4	4	...	...	...	...	0 11 14·8	0 4 ·27
Chief Judge's Court ...	16	16	44	45	60	61	44	41	16	20	6,774 0 0	11,494 0 0	24	31	9	5	2	...	1	1	8	4	0 7 29·25	0 7 ·31
Joint Chief Judge's Court	23	46	141	193	164	239	118	198	46	41	21,551 0 0	42,161 0 0	57	104	22	33	22	33	11	12	6	16	0 5 5·67	0 5 5·33
Total... ...	44	68	201	266	245	334	177	264	68	70	32,875 0 0	58,430 0 0	90	145	33	49	28	37	12	13	14	20	0 8 6·33	0 5 20·88

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Statement showing the Number of Persons confined in the Jails and Lock-ups in the year 1907-08.

Stations.	Number of Prisons.	Number of Prisoners.				Daily Average.		Number of Prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total Cost of Jail and Prisoners.	Average period of accused under trial.	Remarks showing Mortality among Convicts in Jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total.							
				Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.				
									Rs a. p.	Days.	
Bhavnagar Central Jail.	1	132	182	317	314	134·6	132·5	122	11,300 0 0	...	9 died during the year.
Mahuva „ ...	1	1	69	79	70	3·16	3·16	1	960 0 0	2·73	
Kundla „ ...	1	...	36	32	36	1·98	3·5	3	749 0 0	3·45	
Talaja „ ...	1	...	13	34	13	·84	·49	...	726 0 0	23 28	
Lilia „ ...	1	...	4	6	4	·13	·02	...	410 0 0	·35	
Sihor „ ...	1	...	14	22	14	·56	·11	...	583 0 0	7·6	
Umrala „ ...	1	...	7	6	7	·11	·4	...	594 0 0	9·37	
Gadhada „ ..	1	...	13	8	13	·2	·47	...	592 0 0	11·11	
Botad „ ...	1	...	78	91	78	2·11	8·44	...	722 0 0	11·21	
Bhavnagar Lock-up	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	12·48	
Total... ..	9	133	416	595	549	143·69	151·09	126	16,636 0 0	9·6	

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APPENDIX XIV.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Registration of Documents during the year 1907—08.

Name of State.	Documents presented for Registration.		Nature of Documents presented.										Documents Registered.		Value of Documents Registered.				Documents of which Registry has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		Remarks.
			Mortgages.		Sale-deeds.		Wills.		Money-Bonds.		Miscellaneous.												
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.		Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Rs	a. p.	Rs	a. p.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Bhavangar Civil Judge's Court ...	290	248	160	141	17	8	16	28	16	7	81	64	290	248	72,489	0 0	62,487	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Mahuva Court	139	112	84	52	6	3	7	9	17	24	25	24	139	112	74,893	0 0	1,38,615	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Kundla „	49	67	44	55	4	6	...	2	1	...	...	4	49	67	22,255	0 0	39,614	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Talaja „	29	16	21	7	1	2	2	1	...	3	5	3	29	16	6,943	0 0	18,149	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Lilia „	3	7	2	5	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	7	1,725	0 0	6,343	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Sihor „	102	103	58	60	13	12	2	6	5	4	24	21	102	103	27,446	0 0	30,027	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Umrala „	27	27	20	24	1	1	...	...	...	...	6	2	27	27	8,103	0 0	6,478	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Gadhada „	22	28	12	20	2	4	1	...	4	3	3	1	22	28	10,763	0 0	7,387	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Botad „	31	26	22	24	6	1	...	1	1	...	2	...	31	26	7,873	0 0	6,884	0 0	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	692	634	423	388	51	38	28	48	44	41	146	119	692	634	2,32,490	0 0	3,15,934	0 0	...	...	...	...	

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APPENDIX XIV.-A.

Deeds relating to immovable property registered by the Revenue Department during the year 1907–08.

District.	Last Year, 1906-07.			Present year, 1907-08.		
	Number of Documents.	Aggregate Value	Amount of Chowth.	Number of Documents.	Aggregate Value.	Amount of Chowth.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	No.	Rs	Rs	No.	Rs	Rs
Daskrohi	264	1,95,116	5,909	333	2,25,337	6,802
Sihor	44	16,863	516	38	20,808	682
Umrala	8	805	24	18	2,739	82
Gadhada	30	10,211	322	14	2,782	83
Botad	22	7,901	237	29	12,348	386
Lilia	3	640	19	3	542	16
Kundla	38	8,191	246	48	10,241	307
Mahuva	82	41,883	1,257	89	65,862	1,975
Talaja	29	13,099	430	15	6,345	190
Port Victor	19	6,727	205	19	6,833	207
Total ...	539	3,01,436	9,165	606	3,53,837	10,730

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APPENDIX **XV.**

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Statement showing the Receipts and Expenditure on account of Registration during the year 1907-08.

Description.	Past Year.						Present Year.						Remarks.
	Number of Deeds.	Value of Property.			Fees Realized.		Number of Deeds.	Value of Property.			Fees Realized.		
	No.	Rs	a.	p.	Rs	a. p.	No.	Rs	a.	p.	Rs	a. p.	
Mortgages	423	1,35,978	0	0	1,015	0 0	388	2,44,016	0	0	954	0 0	
Sale-deeds	51	49,826	0	0	144	0 0	38	10,093	0	0	95	0 0	
Wills	28	4,751	0	0	130	0 0	48	13,238	0	0	222	0 0	
Money-Bonds	44	19,172	0	0	75	0 0	41	19,114	0	0	71	0 0	
Miscellaneous	146	22,763	0	0	435	0 0	119	29,473	0	0	367	0 0	
Total... ...	692	2,32,490	0	0	1,799	0 0	634	3,15,934	0	0	1,709	0 0	
Deduct Expenditure... ...	...	...			...		...	...			...		
Net Profit... ...	...	...			1,799	0 0	...	...			1,709	0 0	

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APPENDIX XVI.

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Receipts and Expenditure of the Municipalities in the years 1906-07 and 1907-08.

Name of Municipality.	Receipts in						Expenditure in					
	1906-07.			1907-08.			1906-07.			1907-08.		
	Rs	a.	p.	Rs	a.	p.	Rs	a.	p.	Rs	a.	p.
Municipal President's Office	...			...			1,265	0	0	1,219	0	0
Bhavnagar City Municipality	49,926	0	0	54,864	0	0	63,744	0	0	74,400	0	0
Mahuva do.	1,998	0	0	3,158	0	0	7,865	0	0	7,713	0	0
Kundla do.	48	0	0	82	0	0	4,511	0	0	4,524	0	0
Sihor do.	428	0	0	304	0	0	4,589	0	0	4,410	0	0
Botad do.	334	0	0	258	0	0	2,269	0	0	2,472	0	0
Total of those in charge of the Municipal President	52,734	0	0	58,966	0	0	84,243	0	0	94,808	0	0
Gadhada Municipality	176	2	0	52	10	1	1,524	8	1	1,200	0	2
Umrala do.	70	15	9	71	12	11	1,583	15	3	1,413	11	4
Talaja do.	244	4	3	95	2	0	1,316	14	11	1,359	0	11
Rajula do.	121	10	11	142	2	3	1,163	11	11	1,173	8	0
Lilia do.	4	8	0	9	5	0	816	15	2	849	1	8
Grand Total	53,347	8	11	59,836	0	3	90,649	1	4	1,00,803	6	1

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APPENDIX XVII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement of Rainfall in 1907-08.

Districts.	April 1907.	May 1907.	June 1907.	July 1907.	August 1907.	September 1907.	October 1907.	November 1907.	December 1907.	January 1908.	February 1908.	March 1908.	Total.	Total of past year.	Average of last five years.	Remarks.
Bhavnagar	0·15	...	2 23	6·3	7·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16·19	20·53	19 ·3	
Sihor	0·8	...	2·37	9·55	9·19	0·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	21·20	26·63	20·62	
Mahuva	0·25	...	6·41	11·67	5·28	0·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	23·66	17·93	16 86	
Kundla	0·60	...	4·67	11·60	4·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20·98	21·9	13·82	
Lilia	...	...	2·42	9·25	3·78	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	16·0	27·45	13·97	
Umrala	...	...	1 26	7·12	7·52	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	16·0	19·78	24·31	
Botad	0·5	0·20	2·90	9·8	5·46	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	17·90	21·83	20·14	
Gadhada	...	...	1·69	5·10	3·61	0·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	10·44	16·96	17·37	
Talaja	0·23	...	2·38	11·24	10·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24·0	23·72	22·4	
Victor	0·30	...	6·17	14·75	2·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24·28	15·78	13·52	
Average for the whole State...	0·16	0·2	3·23	9·54	5·96	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	19·7	22·65	18·66	

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APPENDIX XVII.—A.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative table of Rainfall in the various Districts for eight years ending 1907-08.

Districts.	Samvat year 1956.	Samvat year 1957.	Samvat year 1958.	Samvat year 1959.	Samvat year 1960.	Samvat year 1961.	Samvat year 1962.	Samvat year 1963.	Average per District.
Bhavnagar City ...	38·15	17·3	24·29	26·12	14·12	14·6	19·27	16·19	21·15
Sihor	29·80	11·67	27·23	23·77	9·42	12·19	26·38	21·20	20·21
Mahuva	26·38	14·4	14·23	23·77	5·93	12·34	18·5	23·66	17·30
Kundla	34·35	10·30	18·15	16·50	8·36	10·41	21·8	20·98	17·52
Lilia	29·70	11·44	24·12	26·31	8·64	9·44	27·50	16·0	19·14
Umrala	25·52	13·60	31·73	40·98	12·57	19·3	20·18	16·0	22·45
Botad	29·84	9·78	19·96	23·84	8·8	22·41	25·45	17·99	19·67
Gadhada	25·25	10·43	22·5	23·78	9·24	13·6	16·95	10·44	16·40
Talaja	38·8	16·51	30·25	36·55	7·59	12·21	23·62	24·0	23·60
Port Albert Victor ...	23·41	10·55	23·83	21·58	4·96	7·32	15·78	24·28	16·71
Average for the whole State	30·12	12·59	23·62	26·32	8·96	13·38	21·42	19·7	19·41

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APPENDIX XVIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing Monthly Average Prices of Food-stuffs for five years ending with March 1908.

Month.	1903-04.				1904-05.				1905-06.				1906-07.				1907-08.			
	Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee				Seers for one Rupee.			
	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.
April	27	32	40	20	32	34	42	20	22	26	32	20	19	20	25	16	20	30	40	14
May	30	38	44	20	30	33	42	20	20	22	25	18	19	20	25	16	19	29	38	13
June	27	32	40	20	32	32	50	20	20	20	24	15	19	21	26	16	18	28	32	12
July	28	32	42	20	32	32	50	20	20	22	24	16	20	22	27	16	18	26	32	13
August	30	42	40	20	30	30	45	20	22	28	32	18	21	23	28	16	18	24	28	11
September	32	42	40	20	22	27	36	20	21	21	28	17	21	23	32	16	18	24	28	11
October	32	42	65	20	21	27	36	20	20	20	25	17	20	24	38	15	14	20	30	10
November	32	42	65	20	26	31	32	20	20	20	25	17	18	25	40	14	14	18	28	10
December	32	42	76	20	24	27	31	19	18	20	25	17	22	24	38	13	15	18	24	9
January	32	30	60	20	25	31	38	20	18	19	25	16	20	25	36	14	15	16	20	8
February	34	36	50	20	22	29	37	21	18	19	26	17	18	25	36	14	16	20	22	8
March	32	32	50	20	27	29	38	20	18	19	27	17	18	26	36	14	17	21	23	8½

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APPENDIX XIX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Expenditure on Public Works during the year 1907-08.

Description of Work.	State Funds.			Local Funds.			Total.
	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Communications	9,266	61,010	70,276	...	...	...	70,276
Buildings...	1,26,380	51,513	1,77,893	...	...	...	1,77,893
Harbour Works	6,350	28,816	35,166	...	...	...	35,166
Water Works	2,671	10,344	13,015	...	...	...	13,015
Public Recreation	...	15,437	15,437	...	...	...	15,437
Miscellaneous Works	...	18,228	18,228	...	...	...	18,228
Works under Civil Departments ...	6,805	6,688	13,493	...	...	...	13,493
Grand Total ...	1,51,472	1,92,036	3,43,508	...	...	...	3,43,508

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APPENDIX XX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Agricultural Stock during the year 1907-08 A. D., Samvat 1963.

District.	HORSES AND CATTLE.									PLOUGHS.		CARTS.		Remarks.
	Bullocks.	Cows.	Buffaloes. Males.	Buffaloes. Females.	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies.	Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	With two Bullocks.	With four Bullocks.	Riding.	Load carrying.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.			No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Bhavnagar State ...	44,396	15,190	131	23,521	2,571			3,116	2,21,566	22,042	...	2,251	7,332	

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APPENDIX XXI.

Statement showing the Excise Shops and Excise Revenue of the Bhavnagar State during the year 1907-08.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Ganja.		Tari.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	
		Rs.		Rs,		Rs.				Rs.	
Bhavnagar	44	14,000	74	18,000	15	1,172	...	...	133	33,172	

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APPENDIX XXII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing Receipts and Disbursements during the year 1963 (Samvat).

RECEIPTS.

Nature of Demand.	Demand. Arrears.	Demand. Current.	Demand. Total.	Collection during the current year.	Collection during the previous year.	Remission during the current year.	Balance.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cash balance at the commencement of the year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,73,451
Receipts.								
Land	37,71,178	26,34,659	64,05,837	24,12,798	21,99,915	47,855	39,45,184	
Customs	38,777	3,53,619	3,92,396	3,28,976	2,76,920	...	63,420	
Abkari	44	42,943	42,987	42,943	26,821	...	44	
Salt	...	19,067	19,067	19,067	17,619	...	...	
Taxes	12,021	58,570	70,591	44,890	56,797	...	25,701	
Law-Courts	...	78,031	78,031	78,031	74,004	...	...	
Miscellaneous	21,732	49,894	71,626	40,103	41,615	...	31,523	
Education	...	22,246	22,246	22,246	24,381	...	...	
Sudhara Varad	19,423	40,454	59,877	25,624	22,825	...	34,253	
Interest and Exchange ...	57,019	2,26,220	2,83,239	2,06,892	85,202	...	76,347	
Profit and Loss	...	6,663	6,063	6,063	4,265	...	...	
Printing Press	...	27,344	27,344	27,344	29,860	...	...	
Forests	...	20,256	20,256	20,256	24,612	...	...	
Najarano	2,979	3	2,982	3	115	...	2,979	
Total	39,23,173	35,79,369	75,02,542	32,75,236	28,84,951	47,855	41,79,451	
Previous arrears recovered ...	...	...	...	+8,01,587	+2,65,080	...	—8,01,587	
Total... ...	39,23,173	35,79,369	75,02,542	40,76,823	31,50,031	...	33,77,864	
Railway	...	10,60,149	10,60,149	10,60,149	9,87,786	...	...	
Grand Total ...	39,23,173	46,39,518	85,62,691	51,36,972	41,37,817	...	33,77,864	

Receipts during the year 1963 as per column 5 above...	51,36,972
Deposits in the Savings Bank	9,74,136
One year Fixed Deposits	16,86,155
Deposits of Departments *less* withdrawals	14,809
Re-payment of Loans by Merchants	3,96,500
Adjustment of advances to Dapartments and others	3,49,132
Total... ...	98,31,155

DISBURSEMENTS.

Nature of Expenditure	Budget Estimates. Current year.	Budget Estimates. Previous year.	Actual Expenditure. Current year.	Actual Expenditure. Previous year.	Amount.
10	11	12	13	14	15
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Political (including tribute, &c.)	2,22,865	2,22,559	2,18,263	2,17,880	
Darbar (including Rajkutumb and Relatives).	3,75,995	3,76,865	3,76,027	3,76,743	
Administration					
Revenue...	1,29,363	1,27,562	1,21,300	1,25,343	
Law-Courts (including Jail, &c.)	4,50,898	4,23,494	3,75,508	3,91,812	
Police ...	98,402	98,255	87,279	86,554	
Education	1,18,223	1,17,709	1,20,875	1,07,332	
Medical (including Vaccination).	1,44,191	1,45,873	1,32,267	1,37,099	
Public Works (including Press, &c.)	70,644	70,738	68,132	69,598	
Municipality	4,62,820	2,27,733	3,66,107	3,18,563	
Pension	1,02,783	89,410	98,133	91,163	
Charities...	1,54,045	1,46,467	1,50,069	1,48,840	
Guests	87,899	88,871	79,571	83,586	
Public Recreation... ...	13,709	13,489	31,498	30,965	
Inam	29,787	29,095	21,629	28,003	
Conveyance	13,570	14,870	8,859	18,647	
Stud and Sick Stable ...	1,16,516	1,15,709	1,36,888	1,79,337	
Profit and Loss	24,875	34,725	31,625	33,895	
Hakdar	...	...	91,291	17,457	
Interest, &c.	1,94,420	1,85,000	1,83,730	1,60,693	
Imperial Service Lancers ...	2,05,000	2,20,000	1,91,209	2,11,635	
Do. Purchase of Horses.	1,71,090	1,87,260	1,45,865	1,37,531	
Infantry...	...	...	..	12,985	
Miscellaneous (including District tours, extra servants, &c.)	67,489	66,461	59,661	54,933	
	81,722	1,19,478	2,21,423	3,56,959	
Total	33,36,306	31,21,623	33,17,209	33,97,553	
Railway	4,97,000	5,39,642	4,37,466	4,08,325	
Grand Total...	38,33,306	36,61,625	37,54,675	38,05,878	

Expenditure during 1963 as per Column 13	37,54,675
Railway Capital Expenditure	23,693
Amount paid by way of re-payment of the Loan of 1956 ...	3,50,000
Withdrawals from the Savings Bank	7,44,392
,, of one year Fixed Deposits	12,37,228
Advances to Departments and others	43,417
Short period deposits in Banks and Loans to Merchants	6,35,574
Investment in Government Promissory Notes	12,25,000
Investment in the Tata Iron and Steel Manufacturing Co.'s Shares ...	1,28,970
Cash balance at the end of the year	16,88,206
Total...	98,31,155

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APPENDIX XXII-A.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Financial Position of the State at the end of Samvat 1963.

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Particulars.	Amount.	Amount.	Particulars.	Amount.	Amount.
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
To Balance of last year	12,73,451		By Expenditure for 1963 as shown in column 13 of Appendix XXII....	...	37,54,675
„ Amount transferred to Darbar Credit, being surplus of Revenue including the above balance at the end of 1963 ... ... Rs. 98,72,037			„ Deposits re-paid during the year—		
Less—Balance shown above ... „ 12,73,451			(*a*) B.-G.-J.-P. Railway Account	2,48,211	
	85,98,586	98,72,037	(*b*) Miscellaneous Deposits of Departments and others	36,242	2,84,453
„ Receipts for 1963 as shown in column 3 of Appendix XXII.	...	46,39,518	*Dues and Advances.*		
			„ Dues by the Districts for arrears, &c.	...	34,25,719
Debts and Liabilities.			„ Loans and advances as under :—		
			(*a*) Advances to Departments and others ...	43,417	
„ Deposits as under :—			(*b*) Loan to Ardeshir Kaikobad & Co.	17,710	
(*a*) Railway Provident Fund Account ...	4,52,052		(*c*) „ Bhayats	1,57,676	
(*b*) Hakdars Account	2,50,682		(*d*) „ Merchants and short period deposits in Banks	6,35,574	8,54,377
(*c*) B.-G.-J.-P. Railway Current Account ...	2,68,845		„ Debt paid to Messrs. Prabhashanker S. P. & Co....	...	3,50,000
(*d*) Savings Bank Account	12,81,967		„ Investments as under :—		
(*e*) Fixed Deposits Account	16,67,830		(*a*) B.-G.-J.-P. Railway	79,09,838	
(*f*) Charity and Scholarships Deposits... ...	29,100		(*b*) Ahmedabad-Dholka Railway Shares ...	1,00,000	
(*g*) Miscellaneous Deposits of Departments and others	53.207		(*c*) Shiajee Chokolate Manufacturing Co. Shares	2,000	
		40,03,683	(*d*) Government Promissory Notes	15,53,100	
„ Debts as under :—			(*e*) Port Trust Bond	1,000	
(*a*) Messrs. Prabhashanker S. P. & Co., on account of Loan of 30 lacs	3,75,000		(*f*) Bombay Steam Navigation Co. Shares ...	3,00,000	
(*b*) Bhavnagar State Bonds	14,87,100		(*g*) Sarasvati Mill Shares	25,000	
		18,62,100	(*h*) The Tata Iron & Steel Manuftg. Co. Shares.	1,28,970	
					1,00,19,968
			„ Balance	...	16,88,206
Total... ...	...	2,03,77,338	Total... ...	...	2,03,77,338

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APPENDIX XXIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement of Medical Relief afforded in the years 1906-07 and 1907-1908.

No.	Names.	Number of Patients Treated.				Result of In-Patients.								Expenditure.		Average Daily Attendance.	
		Out-Patients.		In-Patients.		1906-07.				1907-08.							
		1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.	Discharged.	Absented.	Died.	Remaining.	Discharged.	Absented.	Died.	Remaining.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.
	Chief Medical Officer's Office Establishment, &c.													Rs a. p. 8,909 0 0	Rs a. p. 9,197 0 0		
1	Bhavnagar Takhtsingjee Hospital ...	11,181	10,239	501	560	389	43	25	44	465	35	23	37	15,833 0 0	16,904 0 0	388	357
2	„ Jail „ ...	1,077	726	293	178	282	...	6	5	164	...	10	4	744 0 0	733 0 0	43	34
3	„ Sir Jasvantsingjee Dispensary...	22,620	22,877	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,880 0 0	7,409 0 0	515	507
4	„ Benba Naniben Female Dispensary	6,778	6,570	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,038 0 0	2,106 0 0	138	132
5	„ Juwansingjee Dispensary ...	23,924	23,027	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,359 0 0	5,766 0 0	524	596
6	„ Imperial Lancers' „ ...	3,302	2,902	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,150 0 0	1,138 0 0	45	39
7	„ Darbari Aushadhalaya... ...	4,091	4,596	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	701 0 0	700 0 0	60	68
8	Sir Takhtsingjee Poor-house Dispensary	284	71	19	6	13	...	2	4	3	...	...	3	492 0 0	478 0 0	22	12
9	Mahuwa Dispensary	16,535	14,305	9	6	5	1	2	1	4	1	1	...	3,632 0 0	3,542 0 0	288	256
10	Sihor „	9,407	8,992	5	6	4	...	...	1	4	...	...	2	3,156 0 0	3,234 0 0	180	153
11	Kundla „	11,366	10,129	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1,790 0 0	1,830 0 0	162	157
12	Botad „	3,637	3,665	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1,603 0 0	1,558 0 0	91	73
13	Talaja „	4,496	4,379	5	6	2	1	1	1	5	...	1	...	1,572 0 0	1,513 0 0	71	70
14	Umrala „	3,232	3,089	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,562 0 0	1,301 0 0	52	47
15	Gadhada „	5,030	5,080	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1,912 0 0	1,961 0 0	62	71
16	Lilia „	3,120	2,533	1	3	1	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1,257 0 0	1,385 0 0	39	28
17	Rajula „	3,862	3,290	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,356 0 0	1,355 0 0	64	50
18	Jesar „	2,830	3,330	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,242 0 0	1,183 0 0	43	46
19	Vartej Dispensary	317	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...
	Total... ...	137,089	129,800	837	770	699	46	36	56	651	37	36	46	63,188 0 0	63,293 0 0	2,793	2,696

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APPENDIX XXIV.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Vital Statistics for the year 1907-08.

Name.	Population.	Births.		Increase.	Decrease.	Deaths.		Increase.	Decrease.	Ratio per 1000 of Population.				Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.			Past year.	Present year.			Births.		Deaths.		
										Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
Bhavnagar ...	4,12,664	...	8,769	...	...	...	8,946	...	...	...	21·3	...	21·1	

N. B.—Figures for this year are entered as remarked in last year's statement.

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APPENDIX XXV.

Particulars as to the Schools maintained by the Bhavnagar State for the year 1907-08.

Number of Schools.		Description of Schools.	Number of pupils on roll on 31st March.		Daily average attendence.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary.	Primary.	
1	1	High School	354	317	286	285	13,878 0 0	...	...	
5	5	First Grade Anglo-Vernacular Schools	755	796	641	706	...	11,960 0 0	...	
1	1	Majiraj Girls' School English-class..	11	12	11	9	...	713 0 0	...	
2	2	Grant-in-aid Schools (English) ...	229	321	185	282	...	1,571 0 0	...	
118	121	Boys' Schools	8,710	9,005	6,601	6,917	...	...	50,972 0 0	Includes number and attendance of the English class of Gujarati High School.
17	19	Girls' Schools...	2,280	2,543	1,383	1,578	...	...	14 640 0 0	
3	3	Sanskrit Pathshalas	78	73	58	58	...	...	2,279 0 0	
1	1	Urdu School	118	105	90	84	...	...	743 0 0	
2	2	Grant-in-aid Vernacular Schools at Mahuva	287	285	230	227	...	...	373 0 0	

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APPENDIX XXV-A.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement showing Attendance, Expenditure, &c., in the several Educational Institutions in the years 1906-07 and 1907-08.

1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9
Class and Name of Institution.	Number of Institutions.		No. of Pupils on Rolls on 31st March.		Average daily attendance.		Total Expenditure.		Receipts from Fees.		Net Expenditure (*i. e.*, difference of Columns 5 and 6.)		Incidence of net cost per pupil.		Remarks.
	1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1906-07.	1907-08.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	
I. Arts College—															
Samaldas College	1	1	77	70	66	64	18,458 0 0	19,607 0 0	3,323 0 0	2,888 0 0	15,135 0 0	16,719 0 0	197 0 0	239 0 0	
II. High School—															
Alfred High School	1	1	354	317	286	285	14,087 0 0	13,878 0 0	6,359 0 0	5,225 0 0	7,728 0 0	8,653 0 0	22 0 0	27 0 0	
III. Middle Schools—															
(1) Anglo Vernacular School, Bhavnagar	1	1	354	389	305	352	6,374 0 0	5,332 0 0	3,140 0 0	3,193 0 0	3,234 0 0	2,139 0 0	9 0 0	6 0 0	
(2) ,, ,, Mahuva ...	1	1	191	186	168	162	3,665 0 0	2,121 0 0	1,519 0 0	1,377 0 0	2,146 0 0	744 0 0	11 0 0	4 0 0	
(3) ,, ,, Sihor ...	1	1	96	110	82	96	1,887 0 0	1,903 0 0	644 0 0	706 0 0	1,243 0 0	1,197 0 0	13 0 0	11 0 0	
(4) ,, ,, Kundla ...	1	1	71	66	59	58	1,173 0 0	1,239 0 0	497 0 0	467 0 0	676 0 0	772 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0	
(5) ,, ,, Botad ...	1	1	43	45	27	38	1,226 0 0	1,365 0 0	264 0 0	819 0 0	962 0 0	1,046 0 0	22 0 0	23 0 0	
(6) Gujarati High School English Class..	...	1	...	63	...	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
(7)) Majiraj Girls' School English Class..	1	1	11	12	11	9	3,105 0 0	713 0 0	166 0 0	150 0 0	2,939 0 0	563 0 0	41 0 0	47 0 0	This class opened in December 1906. Number and daily attendance entered except expenditure.
Total of Middle Schools...	6	7	766	871	652	770	17,430 0 0	12,673 0 0	6,230 0 0	6,212 0 0	11,200 0 0	6,461 0 0	15 0 0	8 0 0	
IV. Primary Schools—															
(1) Boys' Schools	118	121	8,710	8,942	6,601	6,862	50,861 0 0	50,972 0 0	8,344 0 0	7,695 0 0	42,517 0 0	43,277 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
(2) Girls' ,, ...	17	19	2,280	2,543	1,383	1,578	14,275 0 0	14,640 0 0	...	...	14,275 0 0	14,640 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	
(3) Sanskrit Pathshalas	3	3	78	73	58	58	2,210 0 0	2,279 0 0	...	...	2,210 0 0	2,279 0 0	28 0 0	31 0 0	
(4) Urdu School	1	1	118	105	90	84	760 0 0	743 0 0	...	...	760 0 0	743 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	
Total of Primary Schools...	139	144	11,186	11,663	8,132	8,582	68,106 0 0	68,634 0 0	8,344 0 0	7,695 0 0	59,762 0 0	60,939 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
V. Aided Schools—															
(1) New English School, Bhavnagar...	1	1	191	212	153	184	1,132 0 0	1,106 0 0	...	...	1,132 0 0	1,106 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	
(2) Sanatan Dharma School ,, ...	1	1	38	109	32	98	422 0 0	465 0 0	...	...	422 0 0	465 0 0	11 0 0	4 0 0	
(3) Vernacular Schools, Mahuva ...	2	2	287	285	230	227	379 0 0	373 0 0	...	...	379 0 0	373 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	
Total of Aided Schools...	4	4	516	606	415	509	1,933 0 0	1,944 0 0	...	...	1,933 0 0	1,944 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	
Total of all Educational Institutions...	151	156	12,899	13,527	9,551	10,210	1,20,014 0 0	1,16,736 0 0	24,256 0 0	22,020 0 0	95,758 0 0	94,716 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	
Inspection charges incurred on all Schools except College.	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,435 0 0	5,160 0 0	...	...	5,435 0 0	5,160 0 0	...	...	
Head-Office Establishment.	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,944 0 0	5,208 0 0	...	...	5,944 0 0	5,208 0 0	...	...	
School Apparatus, books, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,311 0 0	496 0 0	...	...	4,311 0 0	496 0 0	...	...	
Buildings and Repairs through Engineering Department.	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,127 0 0	1,174 0 0	...	...	16,127 0 0	1,174 0 0	...	...	
Grand Total	151	156	12,899	13,527	9,551	10,210	1,51,831 0 0	1,28,774 0 0	24,256 0 0	22,020 0 0	1,27,575 0 0	1,06,754 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	

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APPENDIX XXV-B.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Private Schools in 1907-08.

1. The Khoja Boys' School at Bhavnagar.
2. „ Girls' „ „
3. „ Boys' „ Mahuva.
4. The Jain Girls' School at Bhavnagar for religious instructions.
5. The Bohra School „
6. The Mission School for Boys „
7. „ „ for Girls „
8. The Girls' School at Gangli.

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APPENDIX XXV.-C.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Scholarships granted in the year 1907-08.

No.	Name of Scholarship.	No. of Scholarships.	Aggregate Value per Month. Rs	a.	p.
1	University Scholarships called Sir Jaswantsinhji Scholarship	2	24	0	0
2	Darbari Scholarships in Samaldas College	14	90	0	0
3	Juwansinhji Scholarships ,, ...	2	16	0	0
4	Ahmedabad High School Scholarship	1	15	0	0
5	The Grant Medical College Scholarship...	1	15	0	0
6	Ahmedabad B. J. Medical School ,, ...	1	15	0	0
7	The Agra Medical School ,, ...	1	15	0	0
8	The Ahmedabad Nursing School ,, ...	1	10	0	0
9	The Bombay Ayurved-Aushadhalaya ,, ...	1	8	0	0
10	Scholarships for Students in England	2	625	0	0
11	The Aligad Mahomedan Anglo-Oriental College	1	20	0	0
12	The Grasia School, Gondal ,, ...	3	40	0	0
13	Grasia Scholarships in Bhavnagar High School	10	60	0	0
14	,, ,, A.-V. School	10	60	0	0
15	Mahal Students studying in Bhavnagar High School ...	8	40	0	0
16	The Bhavnagar High School Scholarship	6	40	0	0
17	,, Gujarati High School	1	5	0	0
18	Majiraj Girls' School	2	10	8	0
19	Vadva ,, ...	1	4	0	0
20	Keshaba Scholarships for Grasia Girl-students	2	10	0	0
21	The Poona Agricultural College	2	30	0	0
22	The Bombay Technical Institute	2	40	0	0
23	Scholarship for studying Electric Engineering in Japan ...	1	65	0	0
24	,, for the study of Laws	1	20	0	0
25	,, for Commercial class	1	10	0	0
26	,, for Baroda Kala-Bhuvan	1	10	0	0
27	Ahmedabad Homeopathic Biocromic Medical School ...	1	10	0	0
		79	1,307	8	0

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APPENDIX XXVI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement of Revenue Recovery and Arrears for the years 1906-07 and 1907-08.

District.	Samvat 1962.			Samvat 1963.		
	Demand.	Recovery.	Arrears.	Demand.	Recovery.	Arrears.
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Mahuva	3,78,994	3,61,412	17,582	4,84,024	4,57,018	27,006
Kundla	5,84,015	4,85,000	99,015	6,84,762	6,20,155	64,607
Lilia	3,31,262	2,56,519	74,743	3,70,748	3,18,600	52,148
Umrala	3,12,386	2,43,688	68,698	3,56,201	3,32,321	23,880
Botad	2,25,701	2,17,160	8,541	2,82,995	2,56,450	26,545
Daskrohi	1,75,383	1,53,336	22,047	2,83,263	2,67,416	15,847
Gadhada	1,35,521	1,00,021	35,500	1,88,151	1,76,318	11,833
Sihor	1,13,318	75,636	37,682	1,79,255	1,52,500	26,755
Talaja	1,52,169	1,37,056	15,113	1,91,439	1,81,023	10,416
Victor	1,77,162	1,72,504	4,658	1,98,074	1,83,465	14,609
Customs	2,81,482	2,76,920	4,562	1,79,244	1,79,244	...
Forest	24,612	24,612	...	20,256	20,256	...
Liquor	14,000	14,000	...	14,000	14,000	...
Printing Press ...	29,860	29,860	...	27,344	27,344	...
Abkari, Law, Education, Interest, and Miscellaneous ...	3,63,717	3,37,227	26 490	1,19,613	89,126	30,487
Total... ...	32,93,582	28,84,951	4,14,631	35,79,369	32,75,236	3,04,133
Railway	9,87,786	9,87,786	...	10,60,149	10,60,149	...
Grand Total...	42,87,363	38,72,737	4,14,631	46,39,518	43,35,385	3,04,133

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APPENDIX XXVII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

CASES OF POISONING brought for treatment at the Hospital and Dispensaries in the year 1907-1908.

No.	Names of Dispensaries.	Opium.			Arsenic.			Dhatura.			Alcohol.			Kopper.			Abrus Precatorius.			Indian Hemp.			Poisoned Wounds.											Grand Total.		
																							Snakebite.			Scorpion bite.			Centipedes			Dog-bite.					
		Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.
1	Bhavnagar Takhtsingjee Hospital ...	12	12	...		..	...	1	1	..	6	6		.	..	..	...	...	...	1	1	...	5	5	...	6	6	...	..	..	..	1	1	..	32	32	...
2	„ Jail ...	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
3	„ Sir Jasvantsingjee Dispensary	2	2	...	..	...	...	...	..	..	59	59	..	...	..	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	.	...	..	53	53	...
4	„ Benba Naniben Female Dispensary	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...
5	„ Juwansingjee Dispensary.	...	..	..	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	3	3	..
6	„ Imperial Lancers' „ ...	..	..	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	2	2	...
7	„ Darbari Aushadhalaya ..	..	...	..	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	...
8	Sir Takhtsingjee Poor-house Dispensary	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Mahuva Dispensary	4	3	1	..	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	9	8	1
10	Sihor „	2	2	..	..	..	...	...	...	..	3	3	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	1	...	21	21	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	27	27	...
11	Kundla „	3	2	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	11	10	1
12	Botad „	..	..	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	...
13	Talaja „	1	..	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	9	8	1
14	Umrala „	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	...
15	Gadhada „	1	...	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	8	1
16	Lilia „	1	...	1	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	1
17	Rajula „	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
18	Jesar „	2	1	1	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	1
	Total... ...	28	22	6	1	1	...	1	1	...	59	59	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	10	10	...	75	75	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	179	173	6

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APPENDIX XXVIII.

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Statement of Surgical Operations performed in 1907-1908.

Major Operations.

Removal of Malignant Tumours	4
Removal of Non-malignant Tumours ...	4
Removal of Cysts	4
Removal, Foreign Bodies Deep Tissue ...	2
Opening of Deep Abscesses	63
Abscision of Eye for Staphyloma	1
Excision for Entropion	...
Excision for Trichiasis	35
Excision of Pterygium	13
Restoration of Eye-Ball	...
Passing of Probe, Lacrymal Obstruction ...	52
Iridectomy	2
Extraction of Lens	15
Solution of Lens	3
Paracentesis Anterior Chamber	3
Laceration of Opaque Capsule	1
Evisceration Suppuration Cornea	1
Removal of Polypus Ear	2
Extraction of Nasal Polypus	5
Ligature of Artery	1
Reduction of Hernia	2
For Imperforate Anus	2
Paracentesis of the Abdomen	1
Lithotomy	1
Litholapaxy	29
Dilatation of Stricture	2
Application of Forceps	23
Version	9
Separation of Placenta Previa before birth of Child	1
Removal of Adherent Placenta	3
Removal of Ovum	2
Reduction of Inverted Uterus	...
Craniotomy	...
Paracentesis of Ovarian Cyst	1
Division of Cicatricial Adhesions	2
Extension of Knee	1
Tenotomy	1
Reduction of Dislocation Hip	2
Do. do. Patella	1
Do. do. Elbow	3
Do. do. Shoulder	3
Do. do. Lower Jaw ...	19
Do. do. Radius	1
Do. do. Clavicle	1
Amputation of Fore-arm	2
Do. Foot	2
Do. Leg	6
	331

Minor Operations.

Removal of Tumours	6
Removal of Warts	43
Removal of Cysts	15
Removal, Foreign Body Œsophagus ...	2
Do. do. Skin	23
Do. do. Eye	14
Do. do. Ear	98
Do. do. Nose	37
Do. Eyelashes	93
Carried over ...	331

Brought forward	331
Scarification of Chemosis	3
Scarification of Palpebral Conjunctiva ...	1
Epilation for Trichiasis	1
Opening of Small Abscesses...	1,747
Opening of Gum Boils	25
For Ranula	2
Opening of Bubo	1
Scarification for Imflammation of Cellular Tissue	1
Extraction of Teeth	989
Eruption of Teeth	1
Rupture of Bursæ	2
Reduction of Hernia...	5
Reduction of Prolapsus Ani...	2
Opening of Fistula in Ano	3
Passing of Catheters...	250
Removal of Urethral Calculi	2
Do. Impacted Calculi	5
Dilatation Urethral Stricture	12
Sounding for Irritability	3
Slitting, Phimosis	15
Congenital Phimosis...	1
Circumcision for Phimosis	23
Reduction, Paraphimosis	17
Removal Foreign Body from Penis... ...	1
Tapping, Hydrocele	8
Plugging of Cervix Uteri	39
Removal of Remains of Hymen	...
Scarification of Cervix Uteri	...
Dilatation of Cervical Canal...	4
Removal of Polypi from Cervix Uteri ...	...
Insertion of Vaginal Pessary	15
Incision for Imperforate Hymen	1
Dilatation of Os	78
Rectification of Displacements of Uterus ...	21
Removal of Retained Placenta	2
Do. Foreign body Vagina	1
Injection into Uterus to arrest Hæmorrhage.	2
Removal of small Sequestra	6
Refracture of Clavical Bone	2
Amputation of Thumb	2
Amputation of Finger	6
Removal of Supernwmerary Finger... ...	9
Cupping	26
For Cicatrices...	...
Skin Grafting	6
Subcutaneous Injections	6
Application of Sutures	67
	3,744

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APPENDIX XXIX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

STATEMENT showing Particulars of Vaccination for the year 1907-1908.

Name of the State.	Population according to the Census of 1901.	Total No. of villages.	Of the Total No. of villages visited by			No. of Children.				Percentage of successful cases in which the results were known.	Small-pox.								Number of persons successfully vaccinated per 1,000 population.	Cost.		Remarks.
						Total number vaccinated.		Number inspected				No. of Cases.										
												Previously protected.			Previously unprotected.							
			Vaccinators.	Inspectors.	Superintendents.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	By Inspectors.	By Superintendents.		No. of Villages affected.	Recovered.	Died.	Deformed.	Recovered.	Died.	Deformed.			Total.	Per each successful case.	
Bhavnagar ...	412,664	658	604	329	138	P 11,171 R 128	329 11	9,472	6,043 Besides 2,879 old cases.	P 95·9 R 92·0	9	11	...	...	18	4	...	27·3	Rs 4,913	Rs a. p. 0 6 11	

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APPENDIX XXX.

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Statement showing the details of Vaccination during the year 1907-08.

No.	Circles.	Population of District according to census of 1901.	Average population per square mile.	Average number of vaccinators employed throughout the year.	Total Number of persons vaccinated.			Average number of persons vaccinated by each Vaccinator.	PRIMARY VACCINATION.					RE-VACCINATION.			Percentage of successful cases in which the results were known.		Persons successfully vaccinated per 1,000 of population.	Percentage of unknown cases to total cases.		Average annual No. of persons successfully vaccinated during previous five years.		Average annual No. of deaths from small-pox during previous five years.	
									Total.	Successful.			Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unknown.	Primary.	Re-vaccination.		Primary.	Re-vaccination.	Number.	Ratio per 1,000.	Number.	Ratio per 1,000.
										Under one year.	One and under six years.	Total of all ages.														
1	2	3	4	5	6			7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	16	19	20	21	22	23	24
					M.	F.	Total.																		
1	Bhavnagar ...	61,623	209·6	1	P 1,189 R 8	1,161 5	2,350 13	...	2,331	1,614	665	2,318	...	13	13	...	98·1	100·0	37·8	...	...	1,748	28·3	31	0·5
2	Mahuva ...	56,687	182·9	1	P 659 R 4	797 6	1,456 10	....	1,456	983	414	1,397	9	10	3	...	95·9	30·0	24·7	0·6	...	1,135	20·0	20	0·3
3	Kundla ...	53,608	147·3	1	P 693 R 4	655 ...	1,348 4	...	1,348	1,224	106	1,332	6	4	4	...	98·8	100·0	24·9	0·4	...	1,318	24·5	1	0·01
4	Rajula ...	46,504	95·9	1	P 738 R 87	722 24	1,460 111	...	1,460	992	436	1,428	16	111	107	...	97·8	96·4	33·0	1·1	...	1,212	26·0	4	0·08
5	Sihor ...	56,213	161·8	1	P 865 R ...	902 ...	1,767 ...	...	1,781	979	644	1,633	58	...	..	...	91·6	...	29·0	3·2	...	1,053	18·7	7	0·1
6	Botad ...	45,216	107·4	1	P 408 R ...	464 ...	872 ...	...	879	680	138	818	3	...	...	...	93·0	...	18·0	0·3	...	808	17·8	5	0·1
7	Talaja ...	48,044	125·8	1	P 633 R 1	712 ...	1,345 1	...	1,351	1,024	250	1,278	45	1	1	...	94·6	100·0	26·6	3·3	...	1,177	24·4	15	0·3
8	Umrala ...	44,769	162·8	1	P 525 R ...	478 ...	1,003 ...	...	1,005	774	191	967	4	...	...	...	96·2	...	21·6	0·4	...	797	17·8	6	0·1
	Total ...	4,12,664	143·4	8	P 5,710 R 104	5,891 35	1,1601 139	1,467	11,641	8,270	2,844	11,171	141	139	128	...	95·9	92·0	27·3	1·2	...	9,248	22·4	89	0·2

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APPENDIX XXXI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

STATEMENT of the EXPORT TRADE of the several Ports for the years 1906-1907 and 1907-1908.

EXPORT.

Number	Names of Articles.	Bhavnagar.				Mahuva.				Port Albert Victor.				Talaja.				Sonsai.				Total.			
		1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1906-1907.		1907-1908.	
		Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.
1	Cotton ... ...cwts.	302,452-3	78,61,532	550,999-1	1,43,25,543	46,678	13,18,109	83,967	23,18,030	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0-1 0	5-4-	349,130-3	91,82,532	634,966-2	1,66,87,543-4
2	Grain ... ... ,,	18,632	74,908	87,815	4,77,424	84,132	3,33,114	103,341	5,35,949	40,310-2	1,55,792	50,773	1,50,937	30,648	1,53,321	50,312	1,58,107	468	1,618	888	31,622	194,090-3	7,08,753	301,129	11,54,039
3	Wool ... ... ,,	6,824	3,54,848	6,427	3,08,496	4,602	2,50,213	4,581	2,91,769	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,426	6,05,061	11,008	6,00,265
4	Ghi ... ... ,,	16,449	1,40,205	7,723	3,47,535	4,894	2,56,905	5,410	2,75,554	167-2	41,001	503-2	41,126	914-3	42,614	1,384	67,982	0-3-8	36	0-1-12	16	23,126-0-8	10,80,761	15,317-3-12	7,32,213
5	Molasses ... ... ,,	3,737	22,422	5,120	35,140	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,737	22,422	5,120	35,140
6	Cotton-seeds ... ... ,,	117,689	2,64,830	68,191	1,70,477	34,515	87,350	34,688	84,705	5,351	12,369	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	147,589	3,38,439	102,879	2,55,182
7	Hides ... ... No.	150,833	1,66,514	119,826	2,35,396	5,225	11,225	52,293	24,478	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	156,058	1,79,789	172,119	2,59,874
8	Cocoanuts ... ... ,,	75,2'7	310	24,420	1,343	199,239	4,848	33,370	1,597	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	254,446	5,158	57,790	2,940
9	Stone ... ...cwts.	7,333	2,936	12,166	4,208	1,015	225	3,492	963	58,340	16,120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66,688	19,281	15,658	5,171
10	Oil, Sweet ... ... ,,	160	2,560	672	10,708	2,339	46,108	1,249	33,795	198	1,927	228	4,663	12	167	6-1-12	163	...	...	...	...	2,709	49,757	2,156-1-12	39,888
11	Dates ... ... ,,	14,449	57,796	3,762	18,810	257	733	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,706	58,529	3,762	18,810
12	Metals ... ... ,,	3,545-3	2,48,202	2,900	2,61,320	390	6,732	44	2,069	1-1	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,937	2,54,949	2,944	2,63,389
13	Cotton Yarns ... No.	572	83,441	852	1,32,210	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	572	83,441	852	1,32,210
14	Red Dungry Cloth	13,082	33,697	19,570	27,164	540	822	7	491	...	...	...	...	...	...	112	294	...	...	...	...	13,622	34,519	19,619	27,879
15	Peacock Feathers	...	...	...	125	...	205	164,000	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	205	164,000	189
16	Factitious Salt ... cwts.	2,633	5,901	1,402	3,156	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,633	5,901	1,402	3,156
17	Other Articles	...	16,55,216	...	11,08,131	...	1,83,758	...	1,96,346	...	1,749	...	47,300	...	94,729	...	1,481	..	4,104	...	11,643-8	...	19,39,547	...	13,64,901-8
	Bullion { Gold ... Tolas	2,489	69,736	816	19,584	3424	5,470	741	16,560	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,8921	75,206	1,557	36,144
	Bullion { Silver ... ,,	746,761	7,05,845	106,177	79,633	24,973	19,552	6,080	4,560	1,000	1,152	2,000	1,554	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	772,334	7,26,549	114,257	85,782
	Cash ... ... Rs.	...	2,14,200	...	2,46,111	...	40,900	...	41,750	...	2,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,69,600	...	2,97,331
	Total	...	1,25,70,079	...	1,78,12,674	...	25,29,155	...	3,61,895	...	2,32,118	...	2,45,580	...	3,03,323	...	2,37,456	...	5,755	...	43,286-12	...	1,56,40,449	...	2,19,27,591-12

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APPENDIX XXXII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

STATEMENT of the IMPORT TRADE of the several Ports for the years 1906-1907 and 1907-1908.

IMPORT.

Number.	Names of Articles.		Bhavnagar.				Mahuva.				Port Albert Victor.				Talaja.				Sonvai.				Total.			
			1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1906-1907.		1907-1908.		1906-1907.		1907-1908.	
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1	Rice	Cwts.	226,651	10,56,092	109,270	7,49,420	20,758	1,28,999	20,997	1,15,799	9,720-1	48,934-4	5,415-2	31,172	2,154	12,016	3,179	19,967	6-2	31	29-2	174-8	259,284-3	12,46,012-4	132,011	9,16,513-8
2	Grain	,,	247,110	11,36,500	61,469	3,09,342	52,466	196,410	14,464	66,149	3,269-1	13,594	1,797-2	8,342	1,165	5,221	1,296	7,378	355	1,205	85 0-20	253-8	304,385-1	13,52,030	79,001-2-20	5,91,361-8
3	Cloth	Bales.	4,480	13,27,450	5,241	15,57,584	96	42,200	142	60,134	41	15,844	48	18,210-8	...	...	1	620	...	...	...	256	4,617	13,80,194	5,432	16,56,904-8
4	Metals	Cwts.	24,393	3,76,104	46,573	4,81,753	2,088	13,412	6,878	42,901	218	1,272	225-1	1,343-8	522	1,801	258	1,923	...	...	...	...	27,021	3,92,589	53,934-1	5,28,010-8
5	Timber	,,	240,460	3,66,961	297,493	4,09,112	42,280	33,894	21,306	46,399	13	3,197	1,541-2	3,585	31	6,852	9,069	13,542	4	6	106	189-8	282,788	4,10,040	320,500-2	4,72,795-8
6	Sugar	,,	213,886	15,06,599	176,131	17,18,285	13,474	1,29,062	17,076	1,51,991	3,497	32,291	3,074-2	27,117	1,065-2	9,859	1,029	9,472	...	...	...	...	231,531-2	20,79,911	197,310-2	19,06,925
7	Molasses	,,	13,301	67,665	14,089	1,01,493	7,521	47,135	10,618	68,107	3,058-2	19,893-8	6,842	20,807	2,603	23,247	3,928	26,257	2-3	21	5-2	44-8	27,491-1	1,57,811-8	35,482-2	2,17,795-8
8	Oil, Sweet	,,	2,531	3,504	16,353	2,84,962	...	...	11,396	71,622	...	...	...	...	...	...	507	3,658	0-2-0	11	53-2-4	53-8	2,531-2-0	35,015	24,899-2-4	3,60,297-8
9	Betelnut	,,	4,915	74,788	4,796	65,254	667	10,330	1,745	30,522	196-3	3,102	185-1	3,307	4	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,782-3	88,301	6,726-1	1,07,983
10	Ghi	,,	93	4,296	78	3,053	26½	1,345	...	...	56-3	2,544	12	594	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	181-2	8,285	90	3,647
11	Ivory	,,	...	...	...	...	6	4,120	4-1	2,886	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4,120	4-1	2,886
12	Silk...	Bales.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	434	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	434
13	Wool	Cwts.	...	...	23	3,821	339	16,788	1,011	26,221	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	339	16,788	1,034	30,042
14	Cocoanuts	No.	15,68,770	84,913	14,75,748	84,858	10,442	4,572	224,301	9,871	89,000	1,564	6,496	2,706	1,000	54	20,820	779	...	...	35	2-3	1,709,792	91,103	17,82,605	98,218-8
15	Coir	Cwts.	11,093	83,376	8,326	58,693	1,536	9,121	2,003	11,461	335	2,033	254	1,595	184	991	583	2,978	...	...	3-1-18	27	13,148	95,576	11,124-1-18	75,088
16	Cotton Yarn ...	,,	7,014	2,86,359	15,207	4,56,995	1,491	43,855	2,532	78,827	89	10,410	229	7,015	26	1,950	25	800	...	...	...	...	8,810	3,42,574	19,003	5,39,237
17	Paper	Reams	28,042	84,127	12,431	41,009	90	45	360	901	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28,132	84,172	12,791	41,370
18	Dates	Cwts.	36,319	1,54,526	13,539	67,583	2,313	7,622	3,021	15,194	123-2	396	...	...	...	...	45	195	2-3	10	4-1-14	20-8	38,798	1,62,754	17,512-1-14	82,389-8
19	Dry Dates	,,	9,553	61,655	7,816	15,583	174-2	1,173	1,974	13,951	167	532	147	793	65-1	380	62	291	...	...	...	...	10,289-3	63,740	11,998	79,718
20	Groundnuts ...	,,	4,326-2	35,060	5,305	34,178	478	2,361	916	5,895	150-1	725	111	646	20	100	10	76	...	...	...	...	4,974-3	28,846	6,342	40,795
21	Tobacco	,,	1,742	13,986	1,469	8,815	1,081	10,108	821	8,422	41-1	472-8	13	223	56	554	6	19	...	...	...	...	2,920-1	25,080-8	2,309	17,494
22	Oil-seeds	,,	16,648	1,33,180	11,338	94,772	523	4,676	4,535	35,509	176	1,456	...	...	505	4,349	...	...	...	...	4-2	13	17,922	1,43,661	15,927-2	1,30,294
23	Other Articles		...	11,87,419	...	26,76,569	...	6,34,886	...	3,92,906	...	42,276	...	54,840	...	64,031	...	2,00,791	...	275	...	975-12	...	20,29,856	10,583	33,35,281-12
	Bullion.	Gold ... Tolas.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Silver ... ,,	...	...	...	...	650	700	10,583	8,417	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	650	700	10,583	8,417
	Cash	Rs.	...	8,000	...	...	...	2,67,800	...	2,61,015	...	1,300	...	3,800	...	38,315	...	15,200	...	...	...	...	...	3,15,615	...	2,80,015
	Total... ...		...	84,40,650	...	...	...	16,10,614	...	15,51,193	...	2,02,422-1	...	1,87,981	...	1,09,420	...	3,15,046	...	1,550	...	1,982-4	...	104,80,235-4	4	1,13,20,616-4

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APPENDIX **XXXIII.**

Abstract of the Trade Returns of all the Ports of the Bhavnagar State.

Exports of the Principal Articles.

Year.	Cotton.		Grain.		Wool.		Bales of Cotton-Yarn.		Other Articles.		Total.		Increase for 1907-1908.
	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Bales.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	
		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs
1906–1907 ...	3,49,160	91,82,632	1,94,090	7,08,753	11,426	6,05,061	572	83,441	...	50,60,562	...	1,56,40,449	...
1907–1908 ...	6,34,966	1,66,83,548	3,01,129	11,54,039	11,008	6,00,265	852	1,32,210	...	33,87,820	...	2,19,57,882	63,17,433

Imports of the Principal Articles.

Year.	Rice.		Grain.		Cloth.		Metals.		Timber.	Sugar & Molasses.		Oil-Seeds.		Other Articles.	Total.		Increase for 1907-1908.
	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Bales.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	
		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs		Rs	Rs
1906-1907	2,59,284	12,46,072	3,04,385	13,52,930	4,617	13,80,494	27,021	3,92,590	4,10,040	2,59,323	22,37,722	17,922	1,43,661	32,62,816	...	1,04,25,065	...
1907-1908	1,32,011	9,16,542	79,001	3,91,364	5,432	16,56,904	53,934	5,28,010	4,72,095	2,32,793	21,24,723	15,927	1,30,294	51,06,714	...	1,13,66,646	9,41,581

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MAHARAJA OF BHAVNAGAR.

YOUR HIGHNESS,

Pursuant to Your Highness' directions I have the honour to submit the following Report of the Administration of Your Highness' State for the year 1908–09.

Dewan Office:
Bhavnagar, 5th June 1909.

TRIBHUVANDAS K. TRIVEDI,
Acting Dewan of Bhavnagar.

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CHAPTER I.

GENERAL AND POLITICAL.

Area, Population, Tribute, Revenue.

The State of Bhavnagar lies at the head and west side of the Gulf of Cambay in the Kathiawad Peninsula, between 21° 18′ and 22° 18′ north latitude and 75° 15′ and 72° 18′ east longitude. Its area is about 2,860 square miles, and its population 4,12,664 souls according to the Census of 1901. It pays an annual tribute of Rs. 1,28,060 to the British Government, Rs. 3,581-8-0 to Baroda and Rs. 22,858 as *zortalbi* to Junagadh. The gross revenue calculated on an average of the last five years is Rs. 43,71,361 inclusive of Rs. 9,97,577 the income of the Bhavnagar Integral Railway which is the sole property of the State. The gross expenditure calculated on the same basis is Rs. 37,79,744 inclusive of the Railway expenditure of Rs. 4,31,021.

His Highness.

His Highness Maharaja Raol Shri Bhavsinhji, K. C. S. I., was in the best of health throughout the year under report and he continued to give undivided attention to the affairs of the State. The success that has attended the administration of the State is mainly due to the ever watchful care and able guidance of His Highness and the tone of efficiency in the working of the various Departments has been maintained at the same high level as before.

Visits to Mahals.

His Highness proceeded to Mahuva on 3rd May and was encamped there for about three weeks, with a couple of days' stay in the interval at Trapaj. In the month of June he again paid short visits to Trapaj, and also went for a day to Porbandar to inquire after the health of His Highness the late Rana Saheb. In January and February he paid flying visits to the Kundla Mahal, and also to Rohisala and Rangpur in the Botad Mahal, and for a few days towards the end of March he was encamped at Hathab.

Tour in India.

In December, His Highness in company with his Rani Saheb, Kunvari Saheb and a very small retinue left for Nagpur to witness the Exhibition that was held there, and from thence he paid short private visits to Calcutta, Benares, Allahabad, Lucknow, Rampur, Delhi and Agra. The cordial hospitality of His Highness the Nawab Saheb of Rampur was admired by the party.

Visits to other States.

Being invited by His Highness the Raja Saheb of Devgadh Baria, Their Highnesses and the Kunvari Saheb went to Piplod and the neighbouring places, and stayed there a week during February. Early in March His Highness also proceeded to Vankaner and spent there a few days in company with His Highness the Raj Saheb. He was much pleased with the kind hospitality extended to him at both these places.

Rajkumar College Council Meetings.

Four meetings of the Rajkumar College Council were held at Rajkot during the year under report, on 6th August, 24th September, 21st November and 3rd March respectively, which were all attended by His Highness who specially went to Rajkot on those days for the purpose.

Railway Meeting.

At the call of the Agent to the Governor His Highness also attended on 2nd March an informal meeting at Rajkot to discuss, in a friendly way, with His Highness the Thakor Saheb of Gondal and Mr. Mirza Abbas Ali Baig, the situation of the Kathiawad Railways system.

Visit to Poona.

In response to the kind invitation which His Excellency Sir George Clarke condescended to extend to His Highness, he proceeded to Poona in the beginning of August, and had the privilege of staying for a couple of days as His Excellency's guest at Government House. His Highness was very much impressed with the cordiality and friendliness of His Excellency, and felt that such friendly intercourse between His Majesty's representatives and Rulers of Native States would tend considerably to strengthen the already existing sentiment of deep loyalty and devotion to the British Raj which the latter regard as a priceless asset of theirs, and would also materially diminish the possibility of the misunderstandings which sometimes unfortunately occur between the officers of the British Government and the administrators of Native territories.

Bestowal of the title of "Maharaja".

At the beginning of January came the welcome and gratifying news of the gracious bestowal by His Majesty the King-Emperor of the title of "Maharaja" upon His Highness. In a letter congratulating His Highness on this happy event His Excellency Sir George Clarke wrote:—"I congratulate you most warmly on the honour conferred on you by His Majesty the King-Emperor,—an honour which has been richly deserved by Your Highness' excellent work in the State and by your unswerving loyalty to the Crown".

Rajya Kutumb.

Her Highness Rani Shri Nandkunvarba was in excellent health; Kunvari Shri Manharkunvarba enjoyed good health and prosecuted her studies diligently under the able tutorship of Miss Chintaman.

His Highness' relations with his brother Kumar Shri Mangalsinhji continue to be most cordial.

His Highness suffered a heavy loss in the death of His Highness Bhavsinhji, Rana Saheb of Porbandar, who was besides being his brother-in-law a personal friend of His Highness. An extraordinary Gazette was published announcing that the Schools, Courts and Offices of the State should be closed for three days, and that mourning for a period of one month should be observed in honour to the memory of the deceased. On 13th January His Highness paid a visit of condolence to his sister Her Highness Ramba Saheb.

Celebration of His Majesty's Birth-day.

The birth-day of His Royal Majesty the King-Emperor was as usual celebrated with great *eclat* on the 26th June 1908, the day announced for the purpose. A salute of 31 guns was fired at sunrise, and the Royal Standard was hoisted on the City flag-staff. The Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers and the State Infantry held a parade in the morning, ending in a *feu de joie* which was witnessed by His Highness and his principal officers. The Military were given a day's *batta* and Rs. 500 were ordered to be distributed amongst the poor Christians in the State. In memory of this auspicious occasion Rs. 5,000 were set apart to be spent as usual in improvements in the Victoria Park. The day was observed as a general holiday all over the State.

Celebration of the 50th anniversary of the assumption of the Government of India by the British Crown.

The 2nd of November 1908, being the 50th anniversary of the assumption of the Government of India by the British Crown, was celebrated in Bhavnagar with great *eclat*. The day was observed as a public holiday, throughout the State. A salute of 31 guns was fired at sunrise, and the Royal standard was hoisted on the City flag-staff. The Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers and the State Infantry held a parade in the morning, ending in a *fue de joie*. The military were given a day's *batta*, and sugar-candy was distributed among the school-going children of the State. In memory of this auspicious occasion some prisoners were discharged from the jail, while a few others had their sentences reduced.

Celebration of His Highness' Birth-day.

The 21st April 1908 being His Highness' birth-day, was observed as a general holiday throughout the State and all the schools and offices were ordered to be closed. About 826 books of the total value of Rs. 500 were distributed as prizes to school-boys and girls for whose amusement various pastimes were provided in the Peile Gardens. Sugar-candy was distributed among school-going children and eleven scholarships of the aggregate amount of Rs. 125 per month were granted to students attending various Schools and Colleges. Thirty-four widows of various castes and creeds received a monthly sum of Rs. 3 each as maintenance for life. In memory of this occasion a girls' school was started at Ghanghali in the Sihor district.

A parade of the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers and the State Infantry took place early in the morning and a salute of 11 guns was fired to announce the arrival, on the parade ground, of His Highness. The parade was witnessed by His Highness and the principal officers and it ended in a *feu de joie*. The military as usual received a day's *batta* allowance.

Visit of His Excellency Lord Kitchener.

During the year under report Bhavnagar had the privilege of a visit from His Excellency General Viscount Kitchener of Khartoum, G. C. B., G. M., G. C. M. G., G. C. I. E., R. E., Commander-in-Chief in India. His Excellency, who was accompanied by Mr. Hill, the Agent to the Governor, Kathia-

wad, Colonel Birdwood, his Military Secretary, and Captains Wylly and Basset, his Aides-de-Camp, arrived by a special train on the morning of 15th November, and was received at the station by His Highness with all the honours befitting his exalted rank. During the day formal visits were exchanged between His Excellency and His Highness under the usual ceremonies. In the evening the distinguished guest was taken for a drive round the town and witnessed several places of interest such as the Majiraj Chhatri, the old Darbargadh, Sir Takhtsinhji Hospital, and the Takhteshwar Mahadev Temple. His Excellency very much admired the wood-carving of the Darbargadh.

At 8·30 P. M. the illustrious guest was entertained at a banquet which was held in a spacious Shamiana specially erected for the occasion in the Albert Victor Square. The Shamiana was tastefully furnished and artistically decorated, and was illuminated with electric light. Covers were laid for 36 persons, among those invited besides His Excellency and his staff being Mr. Hill, and the other Political and Military Officers present, the Officers of R. I. M. S. the " Hardinge " and a few officers and gentlemen of the town.

After dinner was over, His Highness in proposing the Royal toast said :—" It is a source of pride and gratification to the Princes and Chiefs of India to know that His Majesty cherishes the same deep and sympathetic interest in their welfare as animated his august and revered mother, of beloved memory, throughout her long and benign reign. The Royal Message which His Majesty has recently addressed to India, graciously reiterating and confirming the historic proclamation of 1858—the Magna Charta of the Princes and peoples of this country—has penetrated to the innermost recesses of their hearts, and has re-doubled their traditional feelings of loyalty and devotion to His Majesty's throne and person. I trust and believe that His Majesty will, during his reign which we pray will be long and eventful, have the satisfaction of witnessing the rapid advance of this country in civilisation and contentment, and of enjoying the devoted affection of the vast Empire over which he has been called by Providence to rule."

The next toast given was that of Her Majesy the Queen, the Prince and Princess of Wales and the rest of the Royal family, which His Highness did in these words :—" The catholic sympathies and benevolence of Her Imperial Majesty the Queen have made her name a household word in the British Empire, in every part of which she is beloved and honoured. During their recent visit to this country Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales won the affection of prince and peasant alike, and we rejoice to know that the interest they then conceived for India remains unabated in their crowded life in England."

His Highness then rose to propose the health of the honoured guest of the evening, in doing which he spoke as follows :—

"I am sure you will all join heartily with me in drinking to the health and prosperity of my illustrious and honoured guest, Lord Kitchener, whom I am proud to welcome to Bhavnagar. His Excellency's fame, both as a soldier and as an administrator, is so wide that I will not tire him with a long speech in his presence. But it is impossible to withstand the temptation of making passing reference to His Excellency's achievements upon the arduous field of South Africa—achievements which gave one more proof, if proof were needed, of the unconquerable stubbornness of British arms and of the invincible determination and courage of the British Army, and which won for his Excellency a high place in that brilliant galaxy of soldier-statesmen who have earned the proud distinction of makers of the British Empire.

"Indeed the memory of those achievements is particularly dear to me because they were part of a campaign which afforded me an opportunity of testifying, in a tangible manner, my loyal attachment to the British Empire. Humble as my contribution to that great army was, it sprang from a feeling of deep loyalty and devotion to the British Raj—sentiments which I treasure as priceless heirlooms of the State of Bhavnagar. They came to me in unbroken succession from my ancestors, whose friendly intercourse with the Paramount Power—and this the Rulers of Bhavnagar always remember with a sense of pardonable pride—dates back to a period long anterior to the time when the British Government first set foot on the soil of this part of the country. They were warmed by the alliance as early as the eighteenth century, when the forces of Bhavnagar marched side by side with those of the British Government to extirpate the pirates who then infested the coast of. Kathiawad. It is my passionate desire to bequeath them to my successors not only intact, but strengthened since they were inherited by me.

"There is yet another reason why Your Excellency's South African successes appeal especially to me because they remind me how a Kote-Daffedar of my regiment of Lancers succeeded in winning your good opinion so far as to to be singled out for service as your orderly, and in that capacity to accompany you to England. This I esteem an honour not only to that officer, but also to my regiment and to my State. It will no doubt interest Your Excellency to learn that Hanubhai received from my State special recognition of his services, including a grant of Inam land, and that he has since risen to the rank of Risaldar in the Regiment. May I express a hope that another opportunity arising, the three hundred Rajputs of my contingent, whom Your Excellency will inspect to-morrow, may have the privilege of fighting for His Majesty's

Government, side by side with the mighty army under Your Excellency's command.

"Let me turn from matters military to a question which is deeply engaging the attention of all right-thinking people at this moment: I refer of course to the tendency towards acts of anarchy and violence which has of late become noticeable in some parts of the country. I need hardly say that I view these acts with detestation and abhorrence ; I regard them as the emanations of a few misguided and perhaps unhinged brains. No man in full possession of his senses can believe that violence and crime can do the least good to this or any other country. On the contrary, we know that if unchecked, they are bound to do inestimable mischief. For although the traditional liberality of the British Government will not permit them to be vindictive, the suppression of disorder involves the diversion of energy from the work of stimulating the progress of the country, and the passions unleashed by the organisation of political crime sap the foundations of intellectual, moral, and political growth. We, in the native States, are fortunate in that this hateful disease has failed to penetrate our territories, where the people are given to more peaceful and profitable pursuits, and where 'King is God on Earth' is their sacred motto. Nevertheless, we shall rejoice at the eradication of an evil un-Indian in its origin, baleful in its fruits.

"Let me not, however, dwell unduly upon what is only a phase in Indian life. Let me rather express my profound satisfaction at the renewal in his Majesty's gracious message of those pledges which are the splendid foundations of British rule in india, and the declaration of a liberal policy which holds out remarkable possibilities of progress to this country. Peace is the cornerstone of progress. We owe internal peace to the British Raj; we owe freedom from foreign aggression to the glorious army of which Your Excellency is the distinguished head. Your Excellency, may I express my intense pleasure at being afforded this opportunity of making your personal acquaintance, and you Mr. Hill and gentlemen, I will ask to join with me in pledging my honoured guest, Lord Kitchener." (Applause.)

After the toast had been enthusiastically responded to, His Excellency rose to reply amidst loud cheers. He spoke to the following effect:—

"Your Highness, I am much obliged to you for the kind words in which you have proposed my health, and, you, gentlemen, for the cordial manner in which you have accepted it. It has given me great pleasure to visit your interesting State and I have to thank you for the hospitality and hospitable treatment, which you have given me and my Staff. The Chiefs of Bhavnagar have always been known for their sincere loyalty to the British Raj, and I am glad Your Highness is imbued with the same high sentiments as your ancestors. I am also glad that.that detestable spirit of violence has not penetrated into

your State, and that any symptoms of crime meet with prompt suppression at Your Highness' hands. I remember the horses and men you sent to help the British Army in South Africa. They were very useful to me, and I am glad Dafedar Hanubhai is still doing good service.

" I have noted with pleasure the interest Your Highness has always taken in the welfare of your regiment, and of its officers. I shall inspect the two squadrons of Cavalry you maintain, to-morrow morning, but, from what I have seen of the troop detailed for escort duty, and from reports that I have received, I am glad to say that they are an efficient body of men, well-horsed, well equipped and fit for active service. I regret that we could not accept your kind offer of the services of this regiment on the occasion of the recent trouble on the North-Western Frontier, but if another occasion occurs, we shall consider ourselves fortunate to have them with our army, in fighting against the enemy, when I am sure they will maintain the high prestige of your State. Gentlemen, I give you the health of His Highness the Thakor Saheb of Bhavnagar."

This toast was drunk with great enthusiasm, and His Highness made a brief reply of thanks. He said :—

" I thank you sincerely for the kind manner in which you have proposed my health, and you, gentlemen, for the cordial manner in which you have greeted it. For such measure of welcome as the Bhavnagar State has been able to extend, I can only repeat that Your Excellency's visit has afforded me the greatest pleasure, and my only regret is that it has been so brief."

The party then proceeded to the Gangajalia Tank, close by, to witness the fireworks, which were admired by all.

On the 16th of November His Excellency inspected the parade of the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers and expressed himself highly pleased at the efficiency and martial bearing of the troops. In the evening His Excellency after visiting the Paddock and other places of interest left for the bandar for embarkation where His Highness and other principal officers of the State were present. The ceremonies which were gone through on His Excellency's arrival were repeated on his departure. His Excellency was conveyed on Board the " HARDINGE" per steam launch *Sea-light* which was specially decorated for the occasion and which was in charge of the Port Officer of Bhavnagar.

The Jain Conference.

Another remarkable event of the year was the holding at Bhavnagar of the sixth annual session of the Shvetamber Jain Conference in April 1908. Over 4,000 dalegates from different parts of the country took part in the deliberations, while a still larger number attended the sittings as visitors. The sessions

lasted for three days, during which resolutions were passed on social, relegious, educational and industrial matters, and towards the close generous donations were announced in aid of several religious and educational institutions for the benefit of the community.

His Highness the Maharaja Saheb, who has always been an admirer of such communal efforts towards self-help and amelioration, was pleased to evince a keen and sympathetic interest in the success of the movement. Darbari guest-houses, carriages, furniture, &c., were freely placed at the disposal of the organisers, and every other help that was requisitioned was willingly given. With a view to indicate his appreciation of the work of the assembly, His Highness also condescended to visit its sittings personally, and the wise and weighty words of advice conveyed in the little but effective speech with which he was pleased to inaugurate the commencement of the proceedings went a great way towards pacifying the small tempest that at one time threatened to disturb its peace. At the termination of the sittings His Highness congratulated the assembly on the sober and peaceful manner with which their deliberations were conducted, and took the opportunity to announce his generous Resolution that any community or society in his State which collects a fund of Rs. 50,000 or over for educational purposes will receive a donation of Rs. 10,000 from the State.

The Conference was followed by the Jain Mahila Parishad, which was attended by about 4,000 ladies, and in which resolutions regarding social customs, duties of women, &c., were adopted.

The Bhavnagar Exhibition.

Taking advantage of the occasion of a large gathering of people in connection with the Jain Conference, the Society for the promotion of Agriculture and Industry organized an Industrial and Agricultural Exibition in Bhavnagar,— the first of its kind in Kathiawad—, which was a great success. A brief account of the Exhibition will be found in Chapter IV.

Personnel of the Administration.

With a view to secure greater efficiency and attention in the working of the various ports of the State and with a view to speedy disposal of matters relating to sea-borne trade, the Customs Department which was hithertofore being worked along with the Revenue Department, was, in the year under report, converted into a distinct branch of the administrtation, and was placed in charge of a separate officer styled the Customs Commissioner. It is hoped that this arrangement will lead to greater efficiency and will bring about satisfactory results.

Appendix **I.** gives particulars as to the principal officers of the State.

CHAPTER II.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE LAND.

1. Revenue Collection.

Revenue year.

The Revenue year begins with 1st November and ends with 31st October (Divali), and collections of revenue are made by two instalments of 40 and 60 per cent respectively about the months of December and April, in all the Districts except Mahuva, Talaja, and Daskrohi where there are three instalments of 40, 40, and 20 per cent, falling due in December, April and June. Thus all figures relating to revenue throughout this report cover the year ending with 31st October 1908. The agricultural facts which they represent are therefore those connected with the rainfall of the Samvat year 1963 (1907 A. D.) rather than those of the monsoon of 1964 (1908 A. D.) which latter will find their place in the ensuing report.

Rainfall.

As mentioned in the last year's report the rainfall of Samvat 1963 though fairly approaching the average, was not well distributed. June began with a tolerably promising prospect, the maximum fall being 6·47 inches at Port Victor, and the minimum 1·26 at Umrala. It was sufficient to allow sowing operations to be started in all Mahals except Gadhada and Umrala. The early part of July was however less hopeful, and the absence of rain was beginning to cause anxiety, when the situation was relieved by a steady downpour in the last week of the month, the maximum measuring 14·75 inches and the minimum 5·10 inches. August also gave between 10·15 and 2·76 inches. The continuous fall however of July and August, without the necessary break, considerably retarded sowing and weeding operations, and the total failure of the September rains dissipated the hopes for a bumper crop which the preceding months' copious falls had induced. The crops sufferred from excess in the beginning and from insufficiency towards the end of the season. His Highness promptly ordered a village-to-village inquiry into the actual condition of the

crops, and as a result of the report of such inquiry he directed a suspension of revenue in 272 villages to the extent of about 33 per cent of the assessments.

Revenue Collection.

These conditions naturally affected the revenue collections during the year under report, which were Rs. 28,18,923 out of the total demand of Rs. 34,85,961, exclusive of Railway, Rs. 6,67,038 being the amount ordered to be suspended. Appendix **XXVI.** gives the details of these figures as compared with those of Samvat 1963.

Arrears.

The effect of the unfavourable season is also observable in the collection of revenue arrears, Rs. 95,551 only having fallen in on this head as against Rs. 8,01,587 of the previous year. The balance of outstanding arrears at the close of the previous year was Rs. 32,56,732 which with the collections mentioned above, a remission of Rs. 33,857, and the suspension of Rs. 6,67,038 out of the demand for the year under review, brings the figure to Rs. 37,94,362 at the close of the year. Large as this figure has grown in cosequence of an unfortunate succession of several bad seasons beginning with the great famine of Samvat 1956, it is in a great measure due to the principle of elasticity which the Darbar has uniformly maintained in the matter of revenue collections. As has been mentioned in previous reports, the issue of coercive process is virtually a dead letter in the State, and the policy has always been to leave the ryots to stand upon their own legs and to keep the cultivators confident and contented, even at the sacrifice of legitimate revenue which could easily be collected if a somewhat rigid application of the letter of the law were permitted. It is this liberal and large-minded policy of the Darbar that accounts for the smallness of the number of persons who, it is found, avail themselves of the relief-works opened by the Darbar in unfavourable seasons,—for the rarity of instances of abandonment of their holdings by the cultivators,—for the assiduity with which, even after a season of indifferent crops, the preparation of lands is undertaken for the next monsoon,—and lastly for the prompt payment of a part of the arrears over and above the current season's revenue in a fairly good year even though it happens to come after a bad one. These arrears therefore represent revenue which would, legitimately and without causing any hardship, have fallen in but for the generous policy of the Darbar, and which, it is expected, will still be ungrudgingly paid up by the ryots as soon as they are favoured with a few fairly good seasons in succession. Recoveries of as much as eight lakhs of arrears in 1907-08, of four lakhs and a half in 1904-05, and of over two lakhs each in 1903-04 and 1906-07 are instances in point. There is no doubt that a part of this balance is bad debt, which it is the intention of the Darbar to wipe off at an early opportunity, but it must be remembered that any hasty and untimely attempt at doing so might tend to demoralise the ryots, and to injuriously affect the main portion of the debt which is good, causing unnecessary loss to the State.

The following table gives the details about arrears :—

Districts.	Previous Arrears.				Arrears of Samvat 1964.	Total arrears at the end of 1964.
	At the close of Samvat 1963.	Recoveries in Samvat 1964.	Written-off in Samvat 1964.	Balance of Arrears.		
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Mahuva ...	4,02,904	17,617	...	3,85,287	40,868	4,26,155
Kundla ...	10,40,903	48,624	1,412	9,90,867	36,186	10,27,053
Lilia ...	5,74,486	3,379	3,187	5,67,920	94,314	6,62,234
Umrala ...	3,90,581	5,106	5,116	3,80,359	1,26,716	5,07,075
Botad ...	2,94,844	3,481	21,444	2,69,919	1,47,779	4,17,698
Daskrohi ...	98,274	5,516	...	92,758	77,368	1,70,126
Gadhada ...	2,03,425	850	103	2,02,472	93,161	2,95,633
Sihor ...	53,348	2,835	2,086	48,427	26,506	74,933
Talaja ...	34,060	2,767	358	30,935	18,730	49,665
Victor ...	1,62,321	4,610	151	1,57,560	4,944	1,62,504
Customs, &c. ...	1,586	766	...	820	466	1,286
Total... ...	32,56,732	95,551	33,857	31,27,324	6,67,038	37,94,362

Loans to Bhayats and Mulgrasias.

Upon this head Rs. 24,960 were recovered during the year under report, and fresh advances were made to the extent of Rs. 24 only, thus leaving an outstanding balance of Rs. 1,65,186 (inclusive of interest) at the close of the year, as against Rs. 1,74,149 in the previous year.

2. Culturable Area and Waste.

Culturable Area.

The total area of arable land under the administration of the Revenue Department was 11,50,843 acres of Darbari proper and 1,75,631 acres of alienated lands, making a total of 13,26,474 acres. Of the Darbari lands 7,30,564 acres were classified as Assessed and occupied, 24,587 as Assessed but unoccupied, and 3,95,962 as unassessed and unoccupied. The figure for occupied lands includes 426 acres escheated to the Darbar during the year under review. 839 acres were brought under cultivation for the first time and 43 acres were relinquished owing to deterioration from various causes. The necessary details will be seen from the following table :—

Description of Culturable Area.	1907-08.	1908-09.
	Acres.	Acres.
A.—Darbari Proper :—		
1 Assessed and occupied ...	7,29,745	7,30,564
2 Assessed and unoccupied	15,581	15,408
	* + 9,178	* + 9,179
3 Unassessed and Unoccupied	3,96,392	3,95,692
Total... ...	11,50,896	11,50,843
B.—Darbari Barkhali :—		
1 Paying full assessment ...	1,67,825	1,66,757
2 Paying half assessment ...	9,159	8,874
Total... ...	1,76,984	1,75,631
Grand Total of Culturable Area...	13,27,880	13,26,474

* Occupied in previous years but lying uncultivated during the year owing to none coming forward to occupy it.

Lease at reduced assessment.

The figure for occupied lands includes 64,684 acres leased out at a reduced rental, which if taken up for their fully assessed amount would fetch Rs. 1,97,646 instead of Rs. 1,26,541 which they now bring in.

3. Tagavi Advances.

Tagavi.

Rs. 3,690 were advanced on this head during the year under report. The arrears at the close of the previous year were Rs. 88,490, out of which Rs. 1,383 were recovered and Rs. 27 had to be written off. Thus the balance left for recovery at the close of the year amounts to Rs. 90,769. These figures refer to all the districts except Mahuva, Kundla, and Talaja where these advances were mixed up with arrears for land revenue dues and separate figures were not therefore available.

4. Survey.

Revenue Survey.

The revenue survey establishment did satisfactory work during the year, inspecting the boundary marks and attending and re-adjusting and repairing the same.

5. Wards and other Estates.

Estates under Management.

During the year under report 68 estates were in charge of the District Revenue Officers on account of minority, indebtedness, disputes between rival claimants and similar causes. Of these, 48 were managed under the supervision of the Revenue Commissioner and 20 under that of the Rajyaprakarni Officer.

6. Giras and Alienation Settlement.

Giras Settlement.

During the year under report only 4 cases were filed by Mul-grasias alleging infringement of their rights.

Co-parcenery and Heirship Cases.

Forty-one cases of co-parcenery and heirship between Mul-grasias were pending at the close of the preceding year and 19 new cases were filed in the year under report. Of these 26 were disposed of, leaving a balance of 34 at the close of the year. Of the 26 that were disposed of, 2 have been appealed against.

Alienation Settlement.

Reports concerning final settlement of alienated land in some of the villages of the district of Bhal and in the districts of Daskrohi and Sihor were submitted and received the sanction of the Darbar Hazur during the year under review.

CHAPTER III.

PROTECTION.

1. Legislation.

Appendix **II.** gives a list of the laws and rules in force in the State.

2. Military—Imperial Service Lancers.

Command.

Lieutenant Zoravarsinh having been temporarily appointed on special duty as Military Secretary to His Highness, Mr. Devisinh, second in command, is in charge of the Corps.

Strength.

The force numbered 289 at the close of the previous year, out of whom 32 were discharged and 2 died during the year under report, leaving 255 which with 40 newly enlisted brings up the total strength to 295 at the end of the year. These consist of 11 Commissioned Officers, 26 Non-commissioned Officers, and 258 fighting men. Appendix **III.** will explain the necessary details.

Arms.

The Regiment is armed with carbines, swords and lances. The arms were inspected by the Civil Chief Master Armourer and found satisfactory. The Armourer was pronounced to be efficient.

Remounts.

At the commencement of the year there were 293 horses out of which 7 died, 11 were sold, 2 were cast, and 26 new remounts were purchased, leaving the total at 299 at the close of the year.

Ponies.

There were 98 ponies at the commencement of the year under report, and casualties and new purchases have brought the number to 112.

Musketry.

The Regiment has gone through the whole course of Musketry. The Regiment has 2 marksmen, 75 first-class and 171 second-class shots, there being none in the third-class. Risaldar Hanubhai was sent to the Musketry class at Meerut and stood seventeenth in a large field of 37 Officers and non-Commissioned Officers. Kote-Dafedar Shiekh Khermahomed has also attended a second Musketry class but the result is not yet known.

Inspection by the Commander-in-Chief.

On the 16th November the Regiment had the high honour of being inspected by His Excellency General Viscount Kitchener of Khartoum, Commander-in-Chief in India, who expressed himself highly pleased with the efficiency and martial bearing of the troops.

General Inspection.

The Regiment was also inspected by General Drummond, Inspector-General, Imperial Service Troops, at Rajkot while the Regiment was out

on camp of exercise. He expressed his perfect satisfaction at the efficiency of the Regiment.

A party of eight men in charge of Risaldar Janmahomed was sent to the Mhow Divisional Rifle Association and secured two prizes.

Signalling. Daffedar Amarsinh is at present at Keyarighat for receiving training in the Signalling Class.

Inspection of Signalling. Captain S. Morton, Inspector of Signalling, Imperial Service Troops, inspected the Signallers of the Regiment at Camp Jamnagar and was greatly pleased at the work done by the Signallers and remarked that the high standard of efficiency obtained by the Lancers had been fully maintained inspite of new men. Jamadar Bapubhai, Signalling Officer, and Dafedar Rajpalsinh, earned favourable notice.

Racing. Eight horses of the Bhavnagar Lancers took part in the Races at Rajkot, three securing first, six second, and three third prizes. Thus this Regiment was the largest winner at those Races.

Camp of Exercise. The Regiment was out for a month and a half's Camp of Exercise at Jamnagar during the year and did excellent service there.

Hockey. The Regiment's interest in Hockey remains unabated.

Assult at arms. The assault at arms was held at the end of the Camp of Exercise at Jamnagar in which the Bhavnagar men secured many prizes and two Cups out of three.

Sword & Lance Exercise. Sword and Lance exercise continues to be efficiently practised as heretofore.

Cost. The total cost of the Regiment was Rs. 1,76,110 during the year under review.

3. Infantry or Armed Police.

Strength. The strength of the Armed Police known as the Bhavnagar State Infantry was 281 at the end of the preceding year. During the year under report, 3 died, 29 were discharged from the service, and 32 recruits were newly enlisted. The strength at the close of the year was therefore the same as at the close of the previous year. The cost of this Force to the State was Rs. 61,403. Appendix **III**-A gives the necessary details with regard to this Corps. The arms borne by the Force consist of rifles and bayonets.

Band. The Band attached to the Infantry continues to be highly efficient.

Artillery. There is no separate Artillery Force in this State. A party of the Infantry specially trained for the purpose perform those duties.

4. Police.

Regular Police.

The total Police Force of the State under the exclusive control of the Police Department stands at 769 consisting of 64 Officers, 52 Mounted Police, and 653 Footmen (inclusive of 75 Chowkidars of the Village Police).

Village Police.

The Village Police consists of 2,315 men exclusive of the 75 Chowkidars who owing to the peculiar situation and circumstances of certain villages are placed under the exclusive control of the Police Department. Of these, 507 are Mukhis or Police Patels, 963 are Chowkidars, and 845 are Pasaitas. Among the Mukhis 219 have exclusive charge of the Village Police work, while 288 have both Police and revenue duties to perform. The whole of the Village Police is under the control of the Revenue Department, but in so far as they perform Police duties, they are under the supervision of the Police Department.

Strength.

The total strength of both the Regular and Village Police comes to 3,084, and if the Armed Police are added it stands at 3,365 men. The ratio of the whole Force works up to one man for every 122·6 men of the population and every 0·85 square mile of the area. The ratio of the Regular Police alone is one man for every 536·6 men of the population and every 3·71 square miles of the area.

Discipline.

Among the subordinates of the Police Department there are 137 Sipahis, 483 Rajputs, 96 Rabaris, 3 Sindhis, and 8 Arabs. Of these, only 428 know how to read and write, and 48 are under instruction. During the year under report 31 men were rewarded by promotion, 17 were dismissed, and 263 men were fined or punished departmentally. Appendix **IV.** gives the necessary details in this connection.

Cost.

The cost of the Police Department in the year under report was Rs. 1,25,996 against Rs. 1,21,392 in the preceding year.

Arms.

The Mounted Police is provided with rifles and swords and the Foot Police with Batons.

Cognizable Crimes.

Appendix **V.** will show that during the year under report the number of cognizable offences reported was 5 less than that in the preceding year; the number of persons arrested was less by 199, and that of persons sent up for trial was less by 97. The percentage of convictions to arrests was 72·64 as against 56·07 and that of convictions to persons sent for trial was 73·59 as against 66·9 last year.

Offences generally.

The total number of offences (both cognizable and non-cognizable) reported increased from 5,296 to 5,445, showing a rise of 2·8 per cent,

the rise being mainly accounted for by petty offences. The following table will show the main heads of the offences this year as compared with those in the ast year :—

	1907-08	1908-09
Murder	5	4
Culpable homicide	5	2
Grievous hurt	51	50
Hurt	768	793
Dacoity	0	0
Robbery	8	6
House-breaking	50	38
Theft	281	264
Petty offences...	4,122	4,288
Total ...	5,296	5,445

Further details will be found in Appendix **VII.**

Value and Recovery of Stolen Property.

The aggregate value of property alleged to have been stolen during the year was Rs. 7,507 as against Rs. 15,349 in the previous year, and that of property recovered Rs. 4,756 as against Rs. 4,032, the percentage of recovery being 63·35 as against 26·26 last year (*vide* Appendix **VI**).

5. Criminal Justice.

Number and Constitution of Courts.

The number and constitution of Criminal Courts in the State remained the same as in the previous year, *viz.*, 9 Magistrates' Courts and 2 Courts of Sessions, besides 2 Courts of Appeal.

Work done by Original Courts.

The work done by the various original courts during the year under report will appear from Appendices **VII.** and **VIII.** It will be seen that the number of cases brought to trial was 2,783 as against 2,217 last year, showing an increase of 25·5 per cent, and the number of persons involved was 3,888 as against 3,834 last year, also showing an increase of 1·4 per cent. Of the 3,888 persons brought to trial, 2,464 were convicted, 922 were acquitted, 473 were discharged, 2 died and 27 remained under trial at the close of the year. As to punishments, no sentence of death was inflicted in the year under notice. Sentences of imprisonment for over six months were passed against 47 persons, of imprisonment for six months and under, against 199, of fine, against 2,217, and of whipping, against 1, as compared with the corresponding figures 67, 95, 1,646 and 11 respectively in the previous year. The amount of fines imposed was Rs. 10,975 as against Rs. 9,149 in the preceding year, and the amount recovered under this head was Rs. 11,076 as against Rs. 6,189 in 1907-08.

Appeals.

The appellate courts decided appeals concerning 205 prisoners, with the result that the decisions of the lower court were upheld in the case of 58, were amended in the case of 79, and quashed in the case of 68 convicts, leaving none undisposed of at the end of the year (*vide* Appendix **IX.**).

Revision.

There were 14 applications for revision, the sentence being confirmed in 6, amended in 5, and reversed in 1 case, leaving 2 applications undisposed of at the end of the year.

6. Civil Justice.

Number and Constitution of Courts.

There were 11 courts of original jurisdiction and 3 of appellate jurisdiction as in the previous year.

Number of Suits.

The number of suits rose from 3,886 to 5,876 being an increase of 51·2 per cent. Adding to this 221 cases left undecided at the end of the previous year, there were 6,097 cases before civil courts for decision, as against 4,137 in 1907-08. Out of these, 5,896 suits were disposed of as against 3,916 in the preceding year, of which 51 related to disputes about immovable property, 5,720 to pecuniary claims, and 105 to miscellaneous rights. Their aggregate value was Rs. 7,00,964, as compared with Rs. 5,04,034 in the preceding year, the average duration of a suit being 3 months and ·08 days. Further details will be found in Appendix **X.**

Appeals.

The number of appeals presented during the year in the three appellate courts of the State was 238 against 266 last year, which together with the balance of the preceding year makes a total of 308. Of these, 232 appeals, the aggregate value whereof was Rs. 1,17,857 were disposed of, as against 264 appeals of the collective value of Rs. 50,944 in the preceding year. For details see Appendix **XII.** The 232 appeals decided may be classified as follows :—

No. of Appeals.	Class.
41	... Immovable Property.
154	... Money Transactions.
37	... Miscellaneous Claims.
Total ... 232	

Applications for Execution of Decrees.

The number of applications for execution of decrees presented during the year was 10,212, which with the balance of the previous year comes to 11,160. Out of these, 10,460 or 94 per cent were disposed of, leaving a balance of 700 or 6 per cent pending at the close of the year. For details see Appendix **XI.**

Receipts and Expenditure.

The total receipts of all the Courts amounted to Rs. 82,934 as against Rs. 78,031 in 1907-08, while the charges rose from Rs. 87,279 to Rs. 88,027.

7. Registration.

Documents for Registration.

The number of documents presented for registration during the year showed a decrease of 15 from that of the preceding year, the value of property involved fell from Rs. 3,15,934 to Rs. 2,45,264, while the fees realized remained the same as in the previous year, *viz.* Rs. 1,710. The majority of these documents consisted of deeds of mortgage. Details can be seen from Appendices **XIV.** and **XV.**

Sales of Immovable Property.

The above figures do not include sales of immovable property, which being chargeable with *chowth* are entered in the registers of the Revenue Department. Appendix **XIV.-A** gives the details of these documents. It will be seen that the number of sales decreased by 14, the value of property involved being Rs. 3,00,475 as against Rs. 3,53,837 of the previous year, and the *chowth* receipts Rs. 9,044 as against Rs. 10,730.

8. Jails.

Number and Population.

There are 9 Jails and lock-ups in the State including the central Jail in the Capital. The number of prisoners at the end of March 1908 was 126 and during the year under report there were 341 admissions, making a total of 467 as against 549 of the preceding year. Out of these, 4 died before their terms had expired, and 347 were released on the expiry of their respective terms of imprisonment, leaving 116 at the close of the year. Appendix **XIII.** gives the necessary details.

Average.

The daily average of prisoners was 122·89 as against 151·09 of the previous year.

Expenditure.

The gross expenditure exclusive of the charges on account of the Jail-guards at the central Jail was Rs. 16,584 as against Rs. 16,636 in 1907-8, the cost per head coming to Rs. 110 as against Rs. 118 in the preceding year.

Prison Labour.

During the year under report, prison labour produced goods of the value of about Rs. 4,295 and articles worth Rs. 538 were in hand from the previous year's stock. Out of these, articles valued at Rs. 4,102 were sold and a stock worth Rs. 731 remained on hand as the balance at the close of the year.

Health.

The general health of the prison population was well maintained.

9. Municipalities.

Constitution.

There are 10 Municipalities in the State, all of them being maintained as Darbari Institutions at State expense. The most important of these is the

Municipality in the Capital which cost to the Darbar Rs. 68,160 in the year under report. This together with the Municipalities of the various districts are under the control of an officer styled the President of Municipalities, and their affairs are managed by a Committee of official and non-official members, the latter being nominated by that officer periodically from among lists of eligible gentlemen sanctioned by the Darbar for the purpose. Each of these Municipalities has a Secretary who assists the Committee, and the Bhavnagar City Municipality has also an Assistant Secretary and a large staff of Clerks, Inspectors and other servants.

Income and Expenditure.

The aggregate income arising out of the miscellaneous receipts classed under this head was Rs. 48,664 as against Rs. 59,337 in the previous year, and the expenditure was Rs. 98,223 as against Rs. 1,00,802 in 1907-08. Further details will be found embodied in Appendix **XVI.**

Fires.

During the year under report there were 8 fires in Bhavnagar, 3 in Mahuva, 2 in Kundla, 3 in Sihor, 5 in Botad, 2 in Umrala, 1 in Rajula, and 1 in Lilia, the estimated loss of property therefrom being Rs. 90,230, Rs. 350, Rs. 600, Rs. 225, Rs. 8,053, Rs. 300, Rs. 724, and Rs. 10 respectively, making a total of Rs. 1,00,492 as against Rs. 6,705 in the preceding year.

Plague.

Plague appeared in Kundla early in April 1908 and again in September 1908 and taxed civic activities heavily till November when it disappeared.

Water-supply.

Gangajalia and other wells supply water to the town of Bhavnagar in addition to the water in the Gavarishankar Lake which is brought through main pipes into the town, and supplied to the people by means of tanks put up at convenient places. The lake had about 22 feet and 5 inches of water at the end of the year. In the districts the principal sources of drinking water are wells and rivers.

10. Chemical Analysis.

The number of analyses made increased from 85 to 122. There were 16 cases of suspected human poisoning, 3 of cattle poisoning, 28 of suspected blood stains, 4 of suspected seminal stains, and 4 miscellaneous cases. Out of the 16 cases of human poisoning, opium was detected in 6, dhatura in 1, and alcohol in 1. No poison was detected in any case of cattle poisoning.

71 articles including swords, sticks, knives and clothes were examined by the Chemical Analyser with varying results. These articles were connected with cases in law courts.

1 sample of opium submitted for examination was found of unobjectionable quality and contained 6 per cent of morphia. A sample of water from the Gavarishankar Lake treated with alumino ferric chloride was analysed and was found to be of very fair quality for potable purposes. A packet containing white pieces of an unknown substance was examined and found to contain Arsenious Oxide. Stains on two articles of wearing apparel were on examination found to contain Sulphuric Acid.

CHAPTER IV.

PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

1. Weather and Crops.

Rainfall.

Appendix **XVII.** gives particulars of the rainfall in the several districts of the State during the Samvat year 1964 (1908 A.D.), and Appendix **XVII.-A.** a comparative statement for 8 years. As observed at the commencement of Chapter II. this report deals more with the effects of the rainfall in Samvat year 1963, and remarks about that rainfall have been made there. The rainfall in the monsoon of Samvat year 1964 was again erratic both in quantity and distribution. June gave us from ·10 minimum at Mahuva to 5·40 maximum at Talaja. This was enough to start sowing operations. July and August gave us copious rain, but the continual fall interfered with sowing and weeding operations. The later rains of September however did not come and the crops suffered tremendously. In view of these conditions the Darbar passed orders for the suspension of a certain percentage of the year's revenue demand, the details whereof and of the results consequent thereon will be stated in the next year's report.

2. Agriculture.

Cropped Area.

The total area cropped by Darbari cultivators numbering 19,363 was 7,47,019 acres or 18,67,549 bighas, the distribution of the crops being as under :—

	Previous year. Acres.	Year under report. Acres.
Cotton...	3,42,646 ...	3,13,793
Wheat...	10,848 ...	17,328
Oil-seeds	35,644 ...	42,711
Bajri, jowari, sugar-cane, &c...	3,24,275 ...	3,73,187
Total ...	7,13,413 ...	7,47,019

The total area cropped rose by 33,606 acres. The area under cotton showed a fall of 8·7 per cent over that in the previous year, while that under wheat increased by 59·7 per cent, that under oil-seed by 19·8 per cent and that under miscellaneous crops by 15 per cent.

Agricultural Stock.

The details of agricultural stock in the several districts will be seen from Appendix **XX.** There are 43,741 heads of cattle particularly useful in agricultural work.

3. Horticulture.

The Darbar maintained the Victoria Park and the Peile Gardens at a cost of Rs. 6,624 and Rs. 8,725 respectively. They were under the control and supervision of the Public Works Department.

The Albert Victor Square and a small garden round the Percival Fountain, both places of public recreation under the care of the Bhavnagar Municipality, were also maintained by the Darbar.

The Plantation at Mahuva and that at Sihor known by the name of *Kant* were maintained by the Darbar. The Mahuwa Plantation and *Fulvadi* possess about 45,506 trees of various descriptions, such as mango-trees, palm-trees, acacia, babul, &c.

4. Horse-Breeding.

Stallions. The number of stallions belonging to the Darbar was 9 ; three of these were Arabs, one a T.-B. Australian, one an Italian donkey, and four pure Kathis. For the convenience of the public and with a view to encourage private breeders, two of these stallions are stationed in the districts and their services were well utilized.

Service. The number of mares covered was 199, of which 117 belonged to the Darbar, and 82 to private owners. The Darbari mares covered produced 13 colts and 25 fillies, of which 2 colts and 3 fillies died, and 33 survived at the close of the year.

Brood-mares. There were 107 brood-mares at the end of the last year ; 12 fillies were added to the number from the young stock of the Paddock, making a total of 119 ; out of which 6 mares were sold, 4 died and 3 were presented, the number remaining at the close of the year being 106. Of these, 14 were walers, 74 stud-bred, 17 Kathis, and 1 Arab.

Young Stock. There were 70 young stock at the end of the last year, and 38 were added during the year under report, and three bought for nursery, making in all 111. Of these, 38 were under one year, 26 under two years, 19 under three years, and 28 under four years and above. Of these, 12 were classed as brood-mares, 8 died, 1 was sold, and 3 were given to the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers. The number at the end of the year was 87.

The Italian donkey was used for covering Darbari mares as well as the baggage ponies of the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers. The mules produced look serviceable to the Regiment.

His Excellency Lord Kitchener was, during his sojourn here, pleased to visit the stud on the 16th November 1908.

5. Wages, Labour and Prices.

Prices.

Prices of food-stuffs in the year under review did not compare favourably with those in the preceding year, though Bajri and Juvari approached their normal rates towards the close of the year. Fodder was sold at fair prices. Appendix **XVIII**. will show a comparative table of the prices that prevailed during the past five years.

Wages.

There was no marked fluctuation in the rates of wages in the State except about the harvest time. The wages of field labourers were a little higher than the normal scale. This continued only about 3 to 4 months, otherwise the average rate for unskilled labour varied from annas 3 to annas 4 and that for skilled labour from annas 8 to annas 11.

6. Manufactures and Industries.

Mill.

The one Spinning and Weaving Mill which exists in the State has 327 looms and 19,600 spindles, and it consumed 30,91,749 lbs. of cotton in the year under report, the production being 26,27,600 lbs. of yarn valued at Rs. 10,67,462 and 9,80,762 lbs. of cloth valued at Rs. 5,05,705. The average number of Mill-hands employed was 1,048.

Hand-loom Factory.

The small hand-loom factory mentioned in last year's report continues to work with a capital of Rs. 50,000. It is worked by an engine of 8 horse-power and has 27 looms. It consumed 72,000 lbs. of twist yarn in preparing Khadi weighing 50,750 lbs. valued at Rs. 25,375. The average number of hands employed in this factory was 38.

Cotton Presses and Ginning Factories.

There were 11 cotton-presses, seven at Bhavnagar and four at Mahuva, and 16 Ginning Factories with 466 gins at Botad, Dhola, Panchtalavda, Kundla, Facharia, Dungar, Rajula, Mahuva, Jesar and Talaja.

Hand-gins are rarely to be found though they were seen working in a few villages.

Weaving, &c.

Though hand-weaving has been at a very low ebb, weavers in Kundla, produced a good stock of gold-laced *pachhedis*, silk-bordered *dhotars*, and thick covering sheets of cotton known as *chofals*. Botad weavers produced a small stock of cotton cloth known as "check". Gadhada turned out a stock of stout woollen blankets, and the Khatris of Sihor, Umrala, and Vartej produced carpets and bed-covers dyed in variegated colours. Petty little wooden and ivory toys continued to be made in Mahuva, and the skill of the Sihor copper-smiths in the preparation of brass and copper household utensils is still admired.

The Bhavnagar Exhibition.

This is perhaps the most fitting place for a brief account of the Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition which was held in Bhavnagar in April 1908. As mentioned in Chapter I, the Exhibition, which was the first of its kind in Kathiawad, was orgainsed by the Society for the promotion of Agriculture and Industry. His Highness the Maharaja Saheb graciously consented to become a patron of the movement, and started the subscription list with a princely donation. Equally sympathetic was Her Highness Rani Saheb Shri Nandkunverba, who was pleased to accept the patronship of the Ladies' section, and to give a liberal subscription. The Piele Gardens and the Majiraj Wadi were placed at the disposal of the Exhibition Committee, and every other help that was needed was freely and readily given by the State. The B., B. and C. I. Railway, the G. I. P. Railway, the Bombay Steam Navigation Company, the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway and the Morvi Railway were good enough to allow concession rates for the exhibits, the exhibitors, and the visitors.

Starting under such favourable auspices, the organisers toiled hard, day and night, with commendable energy and euthusiasm ; and although, in view of the magnitude of the task which they had undertaken, the time at their disposal must be admitted to be short, they succeeded in laying out an Exhibition, the excellence of which exceeded the most sanguine expectations, and evoked the deserving admiration of all.

Besides articles of local manufacture that were exhibited by His Highness the Maharaja Saheb, Kumar Shri Mangalsinhji and the people of the town, and those that were sent by the several States of Kathiawad, exhibits came in from such distant places as Bombay, Calcutta, Kolhapur, Vizagapatam, Amritsar, Jaipur, Lucknow, Mysore, Tanjore, Lunawada, Baroda, Ahmedabad, Cambay, Surat, Nadiad, and Bassein. The arrangement of the several sections and stalls was all that could be desired. The grounds were illuminated with electric light and Kitson lamps. Among the entertainments provided for the visitors were a maze, a Cinematograph performance, a shooting gallery and *jaltarang* music. Refreshment pavilions and *cafes* were also set up. In fine, no pains were spared, and nothing that could be done was left undone, to make the Exhibition a complete success ; and although the concern was smaller than those held at large centres like Bombay and Ahmedabad, everything that was done was so nice and thorough that the organisers have good reason to be proud of their achievement.

The opening ceremony of this Exhibition was performed by His Highness the Maharaja Saheb on 2nd April 1908 in the midst of a large gathering. In the little speech which His Highness made on the occasion he referred in appreciative terms to the efforts of the Society that had undertaken this task,

and congratulated the organisers of the Exhibition on the spirit of co-operation displayed and the success attained by them. India being essentially an agricultural country, agricultural improvement was, he went on to say, no doubt a necessity ; but agriculture depended for its success on sufficient and timely rainfall, and prudent foresight demanded that industrial progress was equally, if not more, to be encouraged. Capital, raw materials, labour, and demand, thefour chief elements required for industrial development, were all, he explained, at hand, and what was wanted was the right sort of education, a spirit of enterprise, a dogged perseverance, and an application of knowledge to practical purposes. He regretted that the present day education had failed to infuse that spirit of self-help and independence which was its chief aim. The question was, he added, receiving the earnest consideration of the British Government, and he too, with the co-operation of his people, hoped to effect such improvements in the educational system of the State, as might conduce to public weal. Returning to the event of the day, he said that Exhibitions like this serve to produce a creative spirit and constuctive energy among the people, and thus help the cause of progress. In conclusion, with a view to give practical encouragement to industrial development in his State, His Highness was pleased to announce, —and this was received with loud applause,—that any person desiring to open any new industrial enterprise or factory in the Bhavnagar State, but having no sufficient capital for the purpose, would, on his satisfying the Darbar of the eventual success of his enterprise, be helped with a loan from the State to the extent of one-third of the necessary capital at a reasonably fair rate of interest.

His Highness then declared the Exhibition open, the Ladies' section being opened by Her Highness Rani Shri Nandkunverba. The princely donations of Their Highnesses and other generous subscriptions allowed the entrance fee to be fixed at a very moderate rate. The Exhibition was kept open for 20 days, during which period it continued to attract large crowds of visitors, including ladies and children for whom special hours were reserved. Among the distinguished visitors were Mr. Fitz-Gerald, the agent to the Governor, Kathiawad, the Political Agent, Songadh, and several other European Officers and Chiefs of the Province. On the closing day, in the midst of a large gathering, His Highness the Maharaja Saheb was pleased to present medals to the successful exhibitors and volunteers.

7. Trade.

Besides Bhavnagar, the State possesses the following Ports :— Tariff

(*a*) Mahuva and the small ports subordinate thereto,
(*b*) Kathiwadar, now called Port Albert Victor,
(*c*) Pipavav,

(*d*) Talaja (Sultanpur),

(*e*) Jhanjmer (not in use now), and

(*f*) Sundrai.

All these enjoy in virtue of agreements with the Government, the full benefits of British Indian Ports.

Ports.

During the year under report, as hitherto, whenever a charge was made in the Tariff duties in force at British Indian Ports on trade to and from foreign ports, it was forthwith extended to the ports in this State and was notified in the Darbari Gazette.

Exports and Imports.

Appendices **XXXI.**, **XXXII.** and **XXXIII.** give full details of the Export and Import trade at the above-mentioned ports, and it is here that the effects of the unfavourable season are most apparent. As was anticipated, trade has not only not maintained the gratifying advance towards normal conditions which was observable in the previous year, but has actually made a retrograde move. The exports fell by more than 36 per cent, being Rs. 1,40,26,821 as against Rs. 2,19,57,882 in the previous year. The decrease is chiefly accounted for by cotton which went down by 88 lakhs. On the other hand there was a noticeable advance in the exports of grain, ghee, hides and stone. The imports also fell from Rs. 1,13,26,646 to Rs. 1,08,78,009, the noticeable decrease being under cloth, sugar, oil, cotton-yarn and molasses. On the other hand, imports of oil-seeds went up by 5 lakhs or 500 per cent, and those of betelnuts doubled themselves. There was also a substantial rise under rice, grain and miscellaneous articles.

The following table shows the fluctuations in the trade of the State during the last twenty years :—

No.	Year.	Value of Exports	Value of Imports.
		Rs	Rs
1	1889-1890	1,50,62,992	1,04,53,989
2	1890-1891	1,95,77,119	84,35,531
3	1891-1892	1,82,41,012	90,61,634
4	1892-1893	1,97,41,027	95,47,912
5	1893-1894	2,34,22,350	1,36,64,289
6	1894-1895	1,78,77,702	1,13,11,924
7	1895-1896	1,89,76,519	1,42,01,702
8	1896-1897	2,52,17,621	1,40,62,156
9	1897-1898	1,49,26,740	1,38,75,489
10	1898-1899	1,72,53.065	1,23,90,855
11	1899-1900	1,38,47,645	1,25,09,255
12	1900-1901	44,28,760	2,49,38,685
13	1901-1902	53,86,006	1,05,99,585
14	1902-1903	56,23,159	1,08,84,735
15	1903-1904	1,29,66,048	90,96,665
16	1904-1905	2,21,46,034	97,65,112
17	1905-1906	75,66,750	1,15,17,384
18	1906-1907	1,56,40,449	1,04,25,065
19	1907-1908	2,19,57,882	1,13,26,646
20	1908-1909	1,40,26,821	1,08,78,009

The Customs Frontier Line at Viramgam.

Grateful mention was made in the last year's report of the kind and gracious decision of the Government of India, upholding the claims and maintaining the much valued treaty-rights of this State which had been violated by the imposition of the Customs Frontier Line at Viramgam against the trade of Bhavnagar, and thereby sparing His Highness the painful necessity of going beyond the purview of the highest British Authority in this country. The Darbar were anxiously awaiting how the fullest effect was given by the Customs Department to the said decision, but issues have again unfortunately been raised with regard to the exact interpretation thereof. His Highness is however fully confident that the high sense of British justice will in the end prevail in this instance also.

8. Public Works.

Expenditure.

The total expenditure during the year on Public Works, exclusive of expenditure on Revenue Account on the Bhavnagar Integral Railway, amounted to Rs. 5,32,013 as against Rs. 2,55,722 in the preceding year. The necessary details of this expenditure will be found in Appendix **XIX.**

Harbour.

Dredging in the Bhavnagar Harbour continued as usual. The mud dredged during the year under notice was 90,475 tons as against 108,950 tons in the preceding year, and the depth dredged was 18 feet. The cost per ton came to $11\frac{3}{4}$ pies as in the preceding year.

Light-houses.

The light-houses at the various Bandars were efficiently looked after and continued in good order.

9. Railway.

The Bhavnagar Integral Railway.

The Bhavnagar Integral Railway, which was one of the first great undertakings initiated by His Highness' lamented father, dates back to the famine year 1877-78, and it has been of the highest utility to the State and to other parts of the Province of Kathiawad. It is the sole property of the Bhavnagar State. It runs from Bhavnagar to Wadhwan in the north and to Dhasa in the South and extends for 120·33 miles besides 17 miles of sidings. The Bhavnagar Dock Estate has been connected with the Railway line running from the Bhavnagar Terminus.

Gross earnings.

The gross earnings from 1st November 1907 to 31st October 1908 amounted to Rs. 11,16,823 as against Rs. 10,60,149 in the preceding year.

Revenue Expenditure.

The expenditure on Revenue Account was Rs. 4,84,957 as against Rs. 4,37,466 in the previous year.

Net Earnings.

The net earnings of the line were Rs. 6,31,865 as against Rs. 6,22,863

in 1907-08, yielding a return of 7·95 per cent on the capital outlay, as against 7·87 per cent in the last year.

Capital Outlay.

At the close of the year under report the Bhavnagar share of the total capital outlay, including suspense, was Rs. 79,40,859 while the total net earnings amounted to Rs. 1,16,88,916, the excess of earnings over the capital outlay being Rs. 37,48,057.

Through-booking.

Through-booking of goods from stations on the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway to Bombay and *vice versa* by sea *via* the Port of Bhavnagar continues to be worked under contract with the Bombay Steam Navigation Company.

Notice of termination of the Working Agreement.

The Bhavnagar Integral Railway forms a part of the combind system known by the name of the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway, which, in virtue of a Working Agreement, arrived at between the four Proprietary States, in 1897, is being worked under the control of a Board consisting of the representatives of the said States, the Agent to the Governor, Kathiawad, being their President. For several years this system of control worked successfully, but recently a situation has been created which has so disturbed the hitherto harmonious and peaceful operations of the Board as to render it impossible to work this system of railways, as a combination, in a businesslike manner or on amicable terms. After an anxious and patient consideration of these unfortunate circumstances, His Highness, to his great regret, was constrained, in the year under report, to give notice of the termination of the aforesaid Working Agreement at the end of the year 1909.

The Working of the Morvi Railway.

The question regarding the working of the Morvi Railway, of which mention has been made in previous reports, is still pending before Government, and it is hoped that in arriving at a decision in that matter Government will not overlook the claims of the Proprietors of this Railway with their long experience of working so complicated a system as the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway.

Ranpur-Dhandhuka-Dholka Railway.

The decision of Government on the long-delayed question of the construction of this Railway is also anxiously awaited, and it is confidently anticipated that the claims of the important and friendly State of Bhavnagar will not fail to receive due consideration at the hands of the authorities.

Sihor-Palitana Line.

A Railway connection between Sihor and Palitana has been for several years under consideration, and it is a pleasure to have to note that with the kind co-operation of Mr. W. Tudor-Owen, the energetic Administrator of Palitana, this project has been taken in hand during the year under

report. With the sanction of Government the survey and estimates have been completed, and the work of construction is expected to begin shortly.

Dhasa-Damnagar-Kundla Line.

Another long-pending scheme, *viz.*, that for the construction of the Dhasa-Damnagar-Kundla Extension has also, in the year under report, taken definite shape. Under an amicable arrangement come to between the Government of His Highness the Gaekwad of Baroda and this State, it has been agreed that a line should be constructed from Dhasa *via* Damnagar to Kundla, another one from Khijadia *via* Amreli to Chalala, and the two lines should be linked by a small chord. The measure has received the approval of Government, and the survey of the line from Dhasa to Kundla is in progress. These lines are expected to be very useful in the development of that part of the Province.

CHAPTER V.

FINANCIAL REVIEW.

☞ *The figures given below are subject to alteration at the closing of the year's accounts.*

1. General.

The financial year of the State begins on 1st November and ends on 31st October, and the figures throughout this Chapter relate to that period. Appendix **XXII.** will give a general view of the financial situation of the State at the end of the year under report. It will be seen that as against Dues, Loans, Advances Investments and cash balance amounting in all to Rs. 1,73,79,595 there are Deposits and Debts to the extent of Rs. 62,36,157, leaving Rs. 1,11,43,438 to the good.

2. Revenue and Expenditure.

The details with regard to the gross revenue and expenditure of the State during the year under report are given in appendix **XXII.-A** of which the following is a summary :—

	Revenue.				Expenditure.			
	Samvat 1963.	Samvat 1964.	Increase.	Decrease.	Samvat 1963.	Samvat 1964.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
State ...	35,79,369	34,85,961	...	93,408	33,17,209	35,72,030	2,50,821	...
Railway ...	10,60,149	11,16,823	56,674	...	4,37,466	4,84,956	51,490	...
Total ...	46,39,518	46,02,784	...	36,734	37,54,675	40,56,986	3,02,311	...

There are no items on either side of the account that call for a special remark, except that the figures of revenue collections evidence bad season-conditions.

Savings Bank.

The Darbar Savings Bank continues to rise in usefulness, the balance of deposits at the end of the year being nearly 28 lakhs as against 22 lakhs of the previous year.

3. Bhavnagar State Bonds.

The interest on these Bonds was paid regularly. The Bonds continue to rise in popularity, being quoted at a premium.

CHAPTER VI.
VITAL STATISTICS AND MEDICAL RELIEF.

1. Medical.

Total Number of Dispensaries.

During the year under report the total number of Institutions that gave medical relief in the State was 18, comprising one Hospital, five Dispensaries, one Darbari Aushadhalaya in the town of Bhavnagar, ten Dispensaries in the different mahals of the State, and a small Dispensary in connection with Sir Takhtsinhji Poor-house at the village of Adhevada.

Number of Patients treated and Average Attendance.

In all these Institutions 1,25,648 patients were treated during the year under notice against 1,30,570 in the last year, showing a decrease of 4,922. Of the patients so treated, 1,24,945 were out-patients, and 703 in-patients, against 1,29,800 and 770 respectively in the preceding year. The total daily average attendance of out-door and in-door patients at all the Institutions was 2,364 against 2,696 in the previous year, and the daily average number of in-door patients in the Sir Takhtsinhji Hospital was 48 against 44·3 last year. Details will be found in Appendix **XXIII.**

Prevailing Diseases.

Skin diseases stand at the head of the list of prevailing diseases. Next in order of frequency were malarious fevers, diseases of the digestive system, eye, respiratory system, &c., as given below : —

	Percentage.
Diseases of the Skin	21·6
Malarial Fevers	14·5
Diseases of the Digestive System ...	12·4
„ „ Eye	13·0
„ „ Respiratory System ...	7·7
„ „ Ear	4·7
„ „ Connective Tissue ...	4·0
Wounds and Injuries	4·0
Rheumatic Affections	2·8
Diseases of the Nervous System	2·2
Dysentry	2·1
Syphilitic Affections	0·9
Diseases of the Generative System ...	1·1
Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion ...	1·3
Debility	1·0
Worms	0·7
Diseases of the nose	0.6
Diseases of Lymphatic System	0.6
All other general diseases	4·8
	100·0

Plague.

In Kundla there were 20 cases of plague remaining at the end of the last year and 32 more occurred in April 1908, after which the town was declared free. The disease however re-commenced in September 1908 and continued till November 1908, during which period 64 cases were reported.

In Lilia there were 4 cases remaining at the end of the last year which were discharged cured.

Disinfection of infected houses is being regularly and systematically carried on.

Cholera. No case of cholera occurred during the year, as also during the last 6 years.

Small-pox. A few cases of small-pox were reported at Bhavnagar and Mahuva from April to August 1908, and in Bhavnagar also in March 1909.

Measles. A mild type of measles was reported to have prevailed in Bhavnagar, Mahuva and Rajula in April and June, and in July 1908 in Mahuva only.

Chicken-pox. Only one case of chicken-pox was brought for treatment in January in the Bhavnagar Takhtsinhji Hospital.

Poisoning. The total number of cases of poisoning treated during the year was 305, of whom 6 proved fatal, and the rest were cured. The details of the cases will be found in Appendix **XXVII.**

Surgical Operations. The total number of surgical operations performed during the year was 3,707 as against 4,075 during the last year. Of these, 209 were major, and 3,498 minor operations, as per details given in Appendix **XXVIII.**

Most of the important operations took place at the Takhtsinhji Hospital. For crushing stone in the bladder 33 individuals were operated upon, of whom 15 were male adults, 14 male children and 4 female children. Of these, 31 were discharged cured and two proved fatal. The largest stone crushed weighed 1 ounce 40 grains and the smallest 2 grains. All were finished in one sitting. The oldest man treated was 60 years of age, and the youngest, 2 years.

Cataract. Extraction of Lens was performed in 18 cases. Of these, 16 were performed in the Takhtsinhji Hospital, and 2 were performed in the Juwansinhji Dispensary. Of these, 14 were discharged cured, 2 relieved, and 2 proved unsuccessful on account of complications.

2. Vaccination.

Successful and Unsuccessful Cases. The number of persons vaccinated and re-vaccinated during the year under report was 13,097 against 11,740 during the preceding year. Of these, 13,023 were primarily vaccinated and 74 were cases of re-vaccination. Among the operations of primary vaccination 12,650 were successful and 313 unsuccessful, the result in 111 cases being unknown on account of the children not

having been brought for inspection. In 74 cases vaccination was performed a second time out of which 65 were successful, 7 unsuccessful, and two remained unknown.

Classification.

Of persons primarily vaccinated, 11,488 were Hindus, 1,091 Mussalmans, 10 Parsees, 10 Christians, and 424 of other castes. Classifying them according to sex 6,619 were males and 6,404 females, and of those re-vaccinated, 59 were males and 15 females, making a total of 6,678 males and 6,419 females.

Percentage.

The percentage of successful operations among primary vaccinations was 96·7 and among re-vaccinations 87·8, the ratio per 1,000 of population working to 30·8.

Inspection.

Out of 658 villages in the State 642 were visited by Vaccinators, 16 only remaining unvisited. The Inspector visited 329 villages and inspected 10,315 children as against 329 villages and 9,472 children in the preceding year.

Cost.

The total cost to the Darbar under this head was Rs. 6,031, the cost for each successful case coming to Re. 0-7-7 against Re. 0-6-11 in thepreceding year.

Further details can be seen from Appendices **XXIX.** and **XXX.**

3. Veterinary.

No epidemic cattle-disease was reported during the year.

Veterinary Hospital.

The Bhavnagar Veterinary Hospital was built by the Darbar about 27 years ago, and all expenditure in connection therewith is defrayed by the State.

Excluding 4 animals under treatment at the close of the last year, 3,845 animals were admitted during the year. Out of these, 373 animals were treated as in-patients, of which 2 died, 1 was relieved, 367 were cured, and 3 remained in the Hospital for treatment at the close of the year.

CHAPTER VII.

PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

1. Education.

Institutions.

The Educational Institutions of the State consist of one Arts College, one High School, 8 Middle Schools, 146 Primary Schools, including 20 Girls' Schools, 3 Sanskrit Pathshalas and an Urdu School, and four Aided Schools. In Appendices **XXV.** and **XXV.-A** will be found the details with regard to the pupils, attendance, receipts and expenditure of all these Institutions, as compared with those of the previous year. The number of Boys' and Girls' Primary Schools which was 144 last year, has increased by 2, on account of the opening of a Boys' school at Samadhiala under Umrala, and a Girls' School at Ghangli under Sihor. The average monthly number of pupils and their average daily attendance were better than in the previous year.

Mission Schools.

Two Mission Schools were conducted in Bhavnagar, one for boys and the other for girls.

Private Schools.

Besides the Mission Schools there were 9 Private Schools in the State in the year under report, as per list given in Appendix **XXV.-B.** The Bhavnagar branch of the Theosophical Society has opened a Girls' School. The Jain Girls' School which formerly imparted religious instruction alone, now teaches other subjects also.

Indigenous Schools.

There were also 60 Indigenous Schools attended by 3,625 pupils as against 53 attended by 3,215 pupils last year.

Scholarships.

Besides spending liberally upon Education in the State, the Darbar maintains a number of pupils at several Institutions outside Bhavnagar, as will be seen from the Statement given in Appendix **XXV.-C.** The total number of scholarships granted in the year under report was 91 and their aggregate cost Rs. 16,458, as against 79 and Rs. 15,690 respectively in the preceding year.

Samaldas College.

The following figures show the number of students and ex-students sent

by the Samaldas College to the various University Examinations and those who came out successful :—

Examination.	1907–1908.		1908–1909.	
	No. of Students and Ex-students.		No. of Students and Ex-students.	
	Sent up.	Passed.	Sent up.	Passed.
Previous	36	16	32	13
Intermediate	12	3	18	11
Senior B. A.	20	11	18	13
M. A.	4	1	1	...

Among those who passed the Previous Examination, two were placed in the second class, an equal number got the same class at the mediate, and three students secured that honour at the senior B. A.

University Requirements.

The work of building a bungalow for the Principal in the vicinity of the College, which has been taken in hand in deference to a suggestion from the University authorities, has made good progress, and is expected to finish shortly.

Alfred High School.

This school sent up 47 students to the Matriculation Examination, of whom 23 came out successful. The annual examination was, as usual, conducted by the Head-master with the help of his Assistants, and the results were satisfactory.

Middle Schools.

The progress of these schools was satisfactory. There was an increase of 194 in the average of monthly number on the rolls and increase of Rs. 476 in fees. All these schools were examined by the Director of State Education.

Primary Schools.

The primary schools (for boys as well as girls) were, as usual, examined by the Inspectors, and the results were reported to be satisfactory. The methods of teaching appear to be slowly but surely improving.

Aided Schools.

The progress of these schools was also reported to be satisfactory. The Sanatan Dharma School which was permitted to open a Fifth Standard Class last year has been doing good work quietly and unostentatiously. The special feature of this school lies in giving moral and religious instruction to the pupils.

Education of the Cultivator Class.

The number of pupils of this class attending the several schools of the State increased from 1,201 to 1,237, and it is a matter for satisfaction to observe that it has now begun to shake off its lethargy and

become alive to the benefits of Education. The distribution of these is given below :–

Institution.	1907-1908.		1908-1909.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
The Alfred High School	...	...	1	...
The Anglo-Vernacular Schools	59	...	91	...
Vernacular Schools	1,097	45	1,073	72
Total... ...	1,156	45	1,165	72
Grand Total... ...	1,201		1,237	

Education of the Backward Classes.

Much encouragement is given by the Darbar to the education of Grasias, Mahomedans and other backward classes. During the year under review all the Girasia scholarships attached to the High School and the Anglo-Vernacular School were given to suitable and deserving candidates, and it is hoped that the other backward classes will move on with the times and be ready to avail themselves of the Educational facilities offered to them by the Darbar.

Teachers' Associations.

These Shikshaka-Samajas were encouraged to continue their useful work of the explanation and propagation of improved methods of teaching as heretofore.

2. Physical Education.

The Samaldas College Gymkhana continues to flourish under the liberal grant given by the Darbar. In the year under report the students displayed their usual keenness for sport and other activities. In Tennis they held their own against local teams as well as against the Junagadh College. In cricket also they scored a great success against the Junagadh College.

The High School Cricket Club continued to flourish during the year under review. The majority of students preferred playing Cricket to Gymnastic exercises, though they regularly attended the Gymnasium twice a week. There are now Cricket Clubs both at Sihor and Mahuva, and everywhere out-door games and sports are much indulged in.

3. Libraries and Museum.

Barton Library.

The Barton Library at Bhavnagar which is located near the Ruvapari Gate, has a well chosen collection of books on literature, history, philosophy, &c., besides a considerable number of Sansskrit works, printed and in manuscript. 380 new volumes were added during the year, bringing the total number of books in the Library to 6,190. It subscribed to 18 papers and 38 periodicals English as well as Vernacular, in addition to 19 papers and 3 periodicals supplied by the Darbar. The number of subscribers on the Register was 264 as

against 256 last year, and the subscriptions received amounted to Rs.961 against Rs. 930. The number of books issued during the year was 5,823 against 5,212, thus showing an increase of 611. The total expenditure during the year was Rs. 2,538 of which a part was met from subscriptions, and the deficiency was paid by the Darbar. An annual grant of Rs. 1,800 has been sanctioned towards meeting the deficiency for a period of two years.

Dr. Burjojee Behramji, late Chief Medical Officer, kindly presented to the Library a book case containing about 85 law books in memory of his late son, Mr. Nosirvan, Barrister at Law.

Another munificent endowment came from Mr. Nanubhai Jayantilal Oza, who presented to the Library a Bank account of the value of about 1,000 Rs., standing in the name of his late uncle Mr. Ganpatram Venilal Oza, a well-known scholar and antiquarian.

District Libraries.

Besides the Barton Library, there are about eighteen Libraries or reading rooms in the State which have a fair stock of books and newspapers and are supported by the Darbar. Some of the Libraries at the head-quarters of the Districts are housed in buildings provided out of funds collected by the people in memory of His Highness the late Maharaja Sir Takhtsinhji.

Museum.

Attached to the Barton Library is a Museum of antiquities which contains an interesting collection of rare and precious coins and specimens of local manufacture as well as works of art and industry. All the articles placed in it have been classified. It also contains interesting collections of arms and armour used by the former Rulers of the State.

A sealed copper-plate for the Samvat year 313 was found during the year under report from Goras, a village of the Mahuva District.

CHAPTER VIII.

MISCELLANEOUS.

1. State Printing Press.

The total receipts were Rs. 23,778 and the total expenditure Rs. 27,978 as against Rs. 27,344 and Rs. 22,599 respectively in the preceding year.

The periodicals printed were the monthly *Darbari Gazette* and the *Kavyapremi.*

There are six Private Printing Presses in the State.

2. The Takhtsinhji Poor-house.

This poor-house at Adhevada continued to be managed by the Rajya-kharch Department of the State. The inmates of the house were fed and clothed by the Darbar at a cost of Rs. 2,128. The number of the poor who took advantage of this Institution was 11,531 as against 14,393 last year. The number at the end of the year was 38, of which 15 and 12 were adult men and women, and 8 and 3 were boys and girls. Two of the boys attended the school.

Besides maintaining this poor-house a sum of Rs. 52,007 was spent by the Darbar under the supervision of the Rajyakharch Department in supporting a number of miscellaneous charities.

3. Stationery.

The value of stock requisitioned and supplied during the year was Rs. 4,354 and of the stock on hand at the close of the year was Rs. 4,756.

4. Conclusion.

In conclusion it gives me pleasure to tender my best thanks to all the Heads of Departments and Officers, who have worked so zealously and devotedly in the performance of their respective duties, and whose hearty co-operation has largely contributed to the smooth working of the Administration. I have particularly to thank my colleagues Mr. N. F. Mirza and Mr. Murarji A. Tana, who have been of invaluable help to me.

Finally it must be mentioned that the account contained in this report is the result of the stewardship of our popular and energetic Dewan Mr. P. D. Pattani. Twelve years of continuous hard work spent in successfully piloting

the affairs of this State through difficulties such as would have baffled the most experienced administrators, compelled Mr. Pattani, shortly after the close of the year under review, to seek that temporary rest which he so urgently needed.

His sense of justice, genial temperament and easy accessibility to high and low have endeared him to all, and we earnestly pray that the All-merciful Almighty may grant him health and strength to return amongst us soon.

His Highness fully appreciates Mr. Pattani's loyal devotion to his person and his Raj, and feels that his conduct of affairs has helped in a great measure to uphold and continue those cordial and friendly relations which have happily existed from historical times between the Paramount Power and the Bhavnagar Darbar.

Dewan Office:
Bhavnagar, 5th June 1909.

TRIBHUVANDAS K. TRIVEDI,
Acting Dewan, Bhavnagar State.

Appendices I. to XXXIII.

(In rounding off figures fractions, annas and pies have been omitted; consequently a slight discrepancy may sometimes occur in additions and subtractions.)

APPENDIX I.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Names of High Officials showing changes in the Personnel during the year 1908-09.

Designation of Place	Name of Holder of Substantive Appointment	Date of Appointment	Cause of Vacancy	Name of Holder of Acting Appointment	Remarks
Chief Dewan	Prabhashanker D. Pattani	24-2-02	....	....	
Naib Dewan	Tribhuvandas Kalidas *	19-4-06	....	....	
Judicial Assistant	Nasarwanji Framji Mirza, B. A., LL. B. ...	22-9-04	....	.....	*Under the designation of Revenue Assistant.
Personal Assistant	Murarji A. Tana, B. A., LL. B.	12-7-06	.....	....	
Chief Judge	Munchersha N. R. Ranina	22-9-04	....	....	
Revenue Commissioner	Chimanlal Bhudharbhai Bar. at-law ...	3-12-08	....	....	
Rajyaprakarni Court Officer	Bhupatrai Vithaldas	1-9-99	....	....	
Superintendent of State Expenses ...	Rana Shri Kalubha Kaliansinhji... ..	8-9-99	....	.....	
Hazur Aid-de-Camp	Do.	1-8-97	....	....	
Chief Medical Officer	Dr. Shivnath Ramnath, L. M. & S. ...	14-12-03	....	....	
Chief Vakil with the Agent to the Governor	Manishanker G. Bhatt, B. A., LL. B. ...	1-12-03	....	....	
Principal, Samaldas College	Kavasji J. Sanjana, M. A.	5-4-05	.....	....	
Controller of State Accounts... ...	Burjorji A. Entee, B. A.	26-12-06	....	.....	
Police Superintendent	Vishwanath Ranchhodji Joshi	22-11-06	....	.....	
State Engineer	Pestonji B. Behramji Esq. L. C. E., B. Sc.	7-7-08	....	....	
Customs Commissioner	Bhanushanker Bhawanishanker Bhat B. A., L. L. B.	3-12-08	....	....	
Director of Education	Manishanker Ratanji Bhat, B. A. ...	19-4-06	....	....	
Officer Commanding Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers	Lieutenant Zorawarsinhji Harisinhji, B. A..	4-7-05	On special duty as Military Secretary to H. H. the Maharaja Saheb, from 1st October 1907.	Devisinhj Jethibhay.	
Officer Commanding Bhavnagar Infantry	Rana Shri Nanbha Kaliansinhji	8-3-00	....	....	
Prant Vakil	Vajeshanker Prajaram	3-12-08	.....	.....	

TRIBHUVANDAS K. TRIVEDI,

Acting Dewan of Bhavnagar.

APPENDIX II.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Laws and Rules in force in 1908-09.

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Act No. I. of Samvat 1920 (so far as it stands unrepealed).	Criminal Procedure Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Act III. of 1922. (2) Reso. No. 56 of 1944. (3) ,, 144 of 1945. (4) ,, 108 of 1960.	.....	
Act No. II. of Samvat 1920 (so far as it stands unrepealed).	Limitation and Legal Practitioners...	.....	
Act No. I. of Samvat 1923.	Regulating the Fees of Legal Practitioners.	.....	
Act No. II. of Samvat 1923.	Stamp Law ... ... Amended by— Act No. II. of Samvat 1941.	.....	
Resolution No. 1*a* of Samvat 1923, dated 22-11-66.	Prohibiting Alienation of Alienated Lands. Supplemented by— Resolution No. 48 of 1945.		
Act I. of Samvat 1927..	Municipal Law ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 1*b* of 1929, dated 28-2-73. (2) ,, 99 of 1944. (3) ,, 15 of 1948. (4) ,, 22 ,, (5) ,, 33 of 1951. (6) ,, 51 ,, (7) ,, 93 ,, (8) ,, 129 of 1952. (9) ,, 14 of 1955. (10) ,, 25 of 1958. (11) ,, 242 of 1961. (12) ,, 85 of 1964. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 22 of 1950. (2) ,, 143 ,, (3) ,, 84 ,, (4) ,, 40 of 1951. (5) ,, 280 ,, (6) ,, 50 ,, (7) ,, 10 of 1952. (8) ,, 15 ,, (9) ,, 15 of 1953.	.....	

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. I. of 1927	Customs Law* ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 106 of 1932. (2) „ „ 114 of 1939. (3) „ „ 981 of 1945. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 25 of 1949. (2) Port & Dock Estate Rules of 1952, dated 26-10-96. (3) Reso. No. 1717 of 1962. (4) Amended by Reso. No. 1409 of 1864.	..... Adapted.	
Resolution No. 12 of Samvat 1930.	Prohibiting Darbari Servants from dealing with Grasias, &c., or trading Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 38 of St. 1946 (2) „ „ 28 „ 1948.	.....	
Resolution No. 803 of Samvat 1930.	Prevention of Frauds in the Cotton Trade in Bhavnagar.	.....	
Resolution No. 1091 of Samvat 1930.	Prevention of Frauds in the Cotton Trade in Mahuva. Ammended by— (1) Reso. No. 1295 of 1958.	.....	
Resolution No. 198 of Samvat 1 1.	Regulating Import of Lead and Saltpetre.	.....	
Act III. of Samvat 1938.	Inspection of Steam-boilers and Prime-movers. (1) Reso. No. 51 of 1963. (2) Amended by Reso. No. 64 of 1963.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 1c of Samvat 1939, dated 30-10-83.	Salt-Law ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 125 of 1951. (2) „ „ 90 of 1952.	„	
Act II. of Samvat 1940.	Registration Law	„	
Act I. of Samvat 1941.	Succession Certificate and Letters of Administration.	.....	
Resolution No. 1278 of Samvat 1943.	Inquiry into and Settlement of Alienated Lands, &c.	.....	
Resolution No. 106 of Samvat 1944.	Examination of Candidates for Clerical Service.	.....	
Resolution No. 238 of Samvat 1945.	Petitions against Darbari Servants and their inquiry.	.....	
Resolution No. 381 of Samvat 1945.	Grant-in-aid to Private Schools ...	Adapted.	
Act. II of Samvat 1946.	Prevention of Cruelty to Animals ...	„	

* *(a)* With regard to trade to and from foreign ports, the customs tariff is the same as in British India.

(b) The working of the customs houses and the methods and arrangement for collection of customs duties are on the same lines as those obtaining at British Indian Ports.

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Act III. of Samvat 1946.	Public Conveyances ... ... Supplemented by Reso. No. 134 of 1963.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 660 of Samvat 1946.	Leave Rules ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 14 of 1955. (2) „ „ 6 of 1957. (3) Supplemented by Reso. No. 50 of 1963.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1947...	Court-fees Act ... ... Bye-rules—Reso No 64 of 1955.	Adapted.	
Act III. of Samvat 1947.	Prevention of Gambling ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 22 of 1952. (2) „ „ 1 of 1956.	„	
Resolution No. 95 of Samvat 1947.	Regulating the Police of Giras and Alienated Villages.	.....	
Resolution No. 336 of Samvat 1947.	Regulating Fees to be charged by Medical Officers of the State. Supplemented by Reso. No. 24 of 1961.	.....	
Resolution No. 156 of Samvat 1947.	Prohibiting Darbari Servants from accepting presents from subordinates	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1948...	Penal Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 93 of 1950. (2) „ „ 268 of 1951. (3) „ „ 2 of 1952. (4) „ „ 107 „ (5) „ „ 108 of 1960.	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1948.	Police Act ... ... (1) Bye-rules, Reso. No. 264 of 1950. (2) „ „ „ 193 of 1953. (3) „ „ „ 226 of 1954. (4) „ „ „ 53 of 1959. Bye-rules—Resolution No 264 of 1950. Supplemented by Reso. No. 72 of 1963.	„	
Act III. of Samvat 1948.	Revenue Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 1602 of 1955. (2) „ „ 725 of 1956. (3) „ „ 375 of 1958. (4) „ „ 376 of „ (5) „ „ 1070 of 1961.	„	

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. 30 of Samvat 1948.	Constitution, &c., of Criminal Courts.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 13 of Samvat 1948.	Military Rules ... ... Supplemented by Reso. No. 17 of 1951.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1949.	Civil Procedure Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 134 of 1951. (2) ,, ,, 1602 of 1955. Bye-rules ,, ,, 64 of ,, ,, ,, ,, 23 of 1963.	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1949.	Civil Courts Act	,,	
Act I. of Samvat 1952...	Factories Act	,,	
Resolution No. 127 of Samvat 1952.	Offences against the Post Office and Savings Bank.	,,	
Resolution No. 330 of Samvat 1952.	Plague Inspection and Quarantine. Supplemented by— (1) No. 51 of 1953. (2) ,, 63 ,, ,, (3) ,, 66 ,, ,, (4) ,, 14 ,, ,, (5) ,, 7 of 1954. (6) ,, 1 of 1955. (7) ,, 2 ,, ,, (8) ,, 11 ,, ,, (9) ,, 1 of 1956.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1953...	Game-Laws	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1953.	Account Code ... ... Amended by Reso. No. 225 of 1955.	.....	
Resolution No. 43 of Samvat 1953.	Famine Code...	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 8 of Samvat 1953.	Printing Presses ... ... Supplemented by No. 11 of 1953.	,,	
Resolution No. 15 of Samvat 1953.	Registration of Deaths	.....	
Resolution No. 14 of Samvat 1953.	Registration of Births and Deaths ...	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1954.	Compulsory Service	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1955...	Cattle-Trespass	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 8 of Samvat 1955.	Prohibiting Alienation of Lands and Haks by Bhayats and Mul-grasias.	.....	

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. 1366 of Samvat 1955.	Establishment of the Rajyaprakarni Daftar for the disposal of disputes of Bhayats and Mul-grasias, &c. Amended by Reso. No. 1534 of 1955.	.....	
Resolution No. 1709 of Samvat 1955.	Excise Duty on Woven Goods ... Amended by— Reso. No. 328 of 1957.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 1301 of Samvat 1955.	Boundary Marks	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1956..	Paupers and Vagrants ... ... Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 3 of 1956. (2) „ „ 7 „ „	.....	
Act II. of Samvat 1956..	Arms Act ... ... Amended by Reso. No. 23 of 1963.	.....	
Resolution No. 317 of Samvat 1957.	Passenger Ships	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 96 of Samvat 1957.	Explosives	.....	
Resolution No. 192 of Samvat 1957.	Opium Law ... ... Supplemented by Reso. No. 1292 of 1958.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 7 of Samvat 1958.	Darbar Savings Bank ... ... (1) Amended by Reso. No. 48 of 1963. (2) Amended by Reso. No. 169 of 1963.	.....	
Resolution No. 13 of Samvat 1958.	Pension	.....	
Resolution No. 1489 of Samvat 1958.	Regulating the Levy of *Khushki Jakat.*	.....	
Resolution No. 1294 of Samvat 1958.	*The* Regulation of *Tari Jakat* ...	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1960.	State Bonds Act	.....	
Resolution No. 299 of Samvat 1960.	Summary Disposal of certain mercantile disputes. Amended with regard to Stamp Duty by Reso. No. 74 of 1960. Bye-rules,—Reso No. 1071 of 1961.	.....	
Resolution No. 118 of Samvat 1961.	Controlling Sale of Cocaine and Morphia. (1) Supplemented by Resolution No. 17 of 1964. (2) Supplemented by Resolution No. 363 of 1964.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1963.	Law relating to false trade marks	Adapted.	
No. 44 of 1965.	Registration of Companies	„	
Reso. of Samvat 1965...	Rules for explosive substances ..	„	

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APPENDIX III.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, and Other Particulars of the Imperial Service Lancers for 1908-09.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.								Details of Force at end of the Current Year.				Total cost on account of pay and allowance of the Force, including followers.	Remarks.
			Casualties.						Number of Men.					
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, Deserted, &c.	At the end of the Current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of Guns.	European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
													Rs	
Imperial Service Troops ...	289	40	2	...	32	295	B. I. S. L.	*Nil.*	...	11	26	258	1,76,110	This sum includes Rs 12,400 given to the Regimental Grass Fund by the State which sum would otherwise fall under forage compensation.

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APPENDIX III-A.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, and other Particulars of the Infantry or Armed Police for 1908-09.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.						Details of Force at the end of the Current Year.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the Force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of Guns.	Number of Men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, Deserted, &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
													Rs	
Artillery	18	...	...	...	...	18	B. S. I.	6	...	...	...	18	61,403	There is no separate artillery in the State. The duties are performed by a party of the Infantry specially trained for the purpose.
Infantry	263	32	3	...	29	263		...	...	8	34	221		
Total... ...	281	32	3	...	29	281	...	6	...	8	34	239	61,403	

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APPENDIX IV.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, Discipline and Education of the Police for the year 1908-09.

Description of Office.	Number.	Pay of Grade.	Horse Allowance.	Total Monthly Cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education.		Remarks.
					Dismissed	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By Promotion.	By Money.	Number able to read and write.	Number under Instruction.	
		Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Police Superintendent	1	300 0 0	60 0 0	360 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Assistant Police Superintendent .	1	140 0 0	40 0 0	180 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
First Class Foujdars	3	50 0 0	20 0 0	190 0 0	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	One Foujdar works as a Shirastedar, does not get horse-allowance.
Second „	3	40 0 0	20 0 0	185 0 0	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	One Foujdar gets Rs. 5 more than his grade as personal pay.
Third „	3	35 0 0	20 0 0	165 0 0	...	2	...	1	...	3	...	
Fourth „	4	30 0 0	20 0 0	180 0 0	...	1	...	...	1	4	...	One Foujdar works as Accountant Foujdar, does not get allowance.
First Class Naib Foujdars ...	6	25 0 0	5 0 0	180 0 0	...	3	...	1	...	6	...	
Second „	13	20 0 0	5 0 0	320 0 0	...	9	...	2	...	13	...	One Naib Foujdar works as a Clerk, and does not get allowance.
Third „	8	15 0 0	5 0 0	160 0 0	...	4	...	2	...	8	...	
Jamadars	21	15 0 0	...	318 0 0	...	9	...	3	1	20	...	One Jamadar getting Rs. 3 as personal allowance.
Havaldars	77	12 0 0	...	924 0 0	...	26	...	6	2	63	6	
First Class Constables	70	10 0 0	...	700 0 0	...	22	...	3	5	51	13	
Second „	155	9 0 0	...	1,395 0 0	2	39	...	8	...	78	4	
Third „	274	8 0 0	...	2,192 0 0	14	119	...	1	...	120	20	
Faras	1	4 8 0	...	4 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Boy	1	8 0 0	...	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Chowkidars	75	4 to 9 0 0	...	467 0 0	1	13	...	...	...	16	2	
Detective...	1	20 0 0	...	20 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Daffedars...	5	32 0 0	...	160 0 0	...	1	...	...	...	4	1	The Salary of Daffedars and Sowars includes horse allowance.
Sowars, Class I.	15	27 0 0	...	405 0 0	...	2	...	...	...	9	1	
„ II.	15	26 0 0	...	390 0 0	...	3	...	...	...	9	...	
„ III.	16	25 0 0	...	400 0 0	...	6	...	1	...	13	1	
Sandhani Sowar...	1	22 0 0	...	22 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Total... ...	769	...	...	9,325 8 0	17	263	...	31	9	428	48	

Rs 9,325-8-0 × 12 = Rs 1,11,906 annual cost of pay and allowances

„ 14,090 Contingent, travelling expenses, dress and repairing expenses.

Rs 1,25,996 Total annual expenditure.

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APPENDIX V.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the working of the Police during the year 1908-09.

1 Number of offences.		2 Number of accused arrested.		3 Number of accused sent for trial.		4 Number of accused convicted.		5 Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		6 Percentage of convictions to arrests (columns 2 & 4).		7 Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		8 Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
406	401	667	468	559	462	374	340	73	112	56·07	72·64	66·9	73·59	10 under Court trial. 6 under Police investigation.

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APPENDIX VI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the value of property stolen and amount of recoveries during the year 1908--09.

Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Percentage of recoveries of property stolen.		Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
Rs a. p.	Rs	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.			
15,349 0 0	7,507	4,032 0 0	4,756 0 0	26·26	63.35	

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APPENDIX VII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Number of Crimes committed, Number of Cases disposed of, and Cases awaiting trial in the year 1908-09.

Tribunals.	DESCRIPTION AND NUMBER OF OFFENCES.											Number of cases disposed of during past year.	Number of cases disposed of during present year.	Number of persons apprehended.	Number of persons convicted.	NUMBER OF PERSONS SENTENCED.						Number of persons acquitted or discharged.	Number of Persons confined being insane.	Number of persons committed to Sessions Courts.	Number of persons died during or before trial.	TERM OF IMPRISONMENT.										Awaiting Trial.
	Babies from the past year.	COMMITTED DURING THE PRESENT YEAR.														IMPRISONMENT.		IMPRISONMENT AND FINE.								Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Transportation.	Capital Punishment.	
		Murder.	Culpable Homicide not amounting to Murder.	Grievous Hurt.	Hurt.	Dacoity.	Robbery.	House-breaking.	Theft.	Miscellaneous.	Total.					Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Fine.	Whipping.	Total.														
Chief Judge's Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Joint Chief Judge's Court...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	19	9	15	...	13	...	2	...	...	15	24	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	1	1	8	...	...	...	17
Bhavnagar Foujdari Court...	...	...	...	14	326	...	4	21	110	3,419	3,894	1,807	2,417	2,809	2,167	3	19	46	40	2,058	1	2,167	632	...	8	2	61	13	16	10	6	2	...	...	...	...	...
Mahuva Court	...	1	...	9	187	...	...	3	56	313	569	101	107	388	79	2	14	...	19	44	...	79	289	...	17	...	15	7	5	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	3
Kundla ,, ...	...	1	...	7	91	...	...	5	28	84	216	73	54	143	41	...	8	...	15	18	...	41	96	...	6	...	6	7	3	4	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Talaja ,, ...	...	...	...	4	22	...	...	2	20	71	119	35	32	96	29	1	13	1	3	11	...	29	65	...	2	...	8	3	1	1	4	...	1	...	...	...	...
Lilia ,, ...	...	1	...	3	27	...	...	...	5	39	75	25	12	47	8	...	2	...	...	6	...	8	29	...	9	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Sihor ,, ...	...	1	1	2	45	...	2	2	19	94	166	48	47	119	30	1	4	2	4	19	...	30	78	...	11	...	3	1	1	4	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Umrala ,, ...	...	...	...	3	26	...	...	2	9	120	160	49	39	86	39	...	7	...	8	24	...	39	43	...	1	...	1	6	2	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	3
Gadhada ,, ...	...	...	1	1	27	...	...	...	8	52	89	27	20	55	8	...	1	1	...	6	...	8	46	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Botad ,, ...	...	...	...	7	42	...	...	3	9	96	157	23	34	136	47	...	3	1	12	31	..	47	86	...	1	...	5	...	..	4	3	4	...	...	...	...	...
Total.....	...	4	2	50	793	...	6	38	264	4,288	5,445	2,217	2,783	3,888	2,464	7	85	51	103	2,217	1	2,464	1,395	...	56	2	100	39	29	31	26	9	3	8	1	...	..	27

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APPENDIX **VIII.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Number of Offences reported and dealt with by the various Courts during the year 1908-09.

Tribunals.	Number of offences reported during the year.		Number of Persons dealt with.								Persons disposed of.					Persons remaining at the end of year.	Remarks.
			Remaining at the end of the last year.	Brought to trial in 1908-1909.					Total.								
	Past Year.	Present Year.		Arrested by Police.	Upon Warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntary.	Brought before Magistrate by extradition.	Past Year.	Present Year.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Chief Judge's Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	3	*	...	7	1	...	...	1	* Exclusive of 9 committed by lower Courts.
Joint Chief Judge's Court	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	7	*9	...	21	15	...	...	17	(Do. 47 do. do.
Bhavnagar Foujdari Court	3,500	3,894	152†	201	74	2,380	...	2	2,158	2,809	66	566	2,167	8	2	...	† Inclusive of 147 remaining at the end of the last year in the Botad Court and transferred to this court.
Mahuva Court ...	635	569	6	95‡	51	231	2	3	434	388	164	125	79	17	...	3	‡ Inclusive of 4 arrested by Abkari Inspector.
Kundla „ ...	258	216	...	42	12	79	...	10	228	143	52	44	41	6	...	...	
Talaja „ ...	193	119	...	26	25	41	...	4	271	96	43	22	29	2	...	...	
Lilia „ ...	97	75	4	11	6	23	...	3	55	47	17	12	8	9	...	1	
Sihor „ ...	215	166	4	45	13	54	2	1	213	119	35	43	30	11	...	...	
Umrala „ ...	176	160	...	24	22	27	1	12	139	86	18	25	39	1	...	3	
Gadhada „ ...	114	89	...	9‡	15	31	...	...	122	55	21	25	8	1	...	...	‡ Inclusive of 1 arrested by Abkari Inspector.
Botad „ ...	108	157	...	20‡	25	86	3	2	204	136	57	29	47	1	...	2	‡ Inclusive of 6 „ „
Total ...	5,296	5,445	175	473	243	2,952	8	37	3,834	3,888	473	922	2,464	56	2	27	

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APPENDIX IX.

Statement showing the Results of Appeals against Decisions passed by the Criminal Courts in the Bhavnagar State during the year 1908–09

Tribunals.	Number of Applications.	NUMBER OF PERSONS AND CASES.																		Remarks.
		Applications rejected.		SENTENCES.						Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further Enquiry, &c., Ordered.		Pending.				
				Confirmed.		Modified.		Reversed.												
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.			
Hazur Court	9	...	...	13	6	1	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Chief Judge's Court	80	...	...	45	31	78	23	66	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Total	89	...	...	58	37	79	24	68	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			

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APPENDIX X.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

CIVIL WORK.—Nature and Value of Original Suits filed and disposed of in the Year 1908-09.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during the year, received by transfer or on remand.		Total.		Disposal of during the year.		Closing balance.		Suits filed during present Year.										Suits disposed of during present Year.						Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value.			Suits for land or landed property.	Suits for money (including mortgage suits).	Suits for other rights.	Number of suits under Rs. 100.	Number of suits above Rs. 100 and under Rs. 500.	Number of suits above Rs. 500 and under Rs. 1,000.	Number of suits above Rs. 1,000 and under Rs. 5,000.	Number of suits above Rs. 5,000.	Ex-parte.	Admitted and compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.			Average Duration.		
											Rs	a.	p.													Rs	a.	p.	Y.	m.	d.	
Chief Judge's Court ...	2	6	4	2	6	8	...	5	6	3	320	0	0	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	13,140	0	0	0	10	7·6	
Joint Chief Judge's Court	9	6	6	9	15	15	9	11	6	4	60,344	0	0	...	8	1	...	1	...	...	8	3	6	1	1	75,877	0	0	0	8	28·45	
Bhavnagar Civil ,, ...	64	78	1,026	1,325	1,090	1,403	1,012	1,355	78	48	1,29,334	0	0	22	1,240	63	1,072	208	24	21	...	373	423	97	462	1,58,998	0	0	0	1	21·03	
Mahuva Court ...	95	83	971	1,403	1,066	1,486	983	1,382	83	104	1,88,518	0	0	10	1,375	18	1,117	213	45	28	...	548	375	144	315	1,65,742	0	0	0	2	1	
Kundla ,, ...	8	6	613	649	621	655	615	650	6	5	67,234	0	0	2	645	2	514	107	20	8	...	187	324	3	136	67,992	0	0	0	1	3·86	
Lilia ,, ...	18	15	311	423	329	438	314	431	15	7	37,808	0	0	2	417	4	314	100	7	2	...	117	118	59	137	37,808	0	0	0	2	11·85	
Talaja ,, ...	7	1	179	486	186	487	185	478	1	9	38,583	0	0	...	486	...	386	90	8	2	...	240	59	59	120	37,157	0	0	0	1	·905	
Sihor ,, ...	21	8	225	454	246	462	238	460	8	2	48,573	0	0	4	443	7	354	80	15	5	...	66	286	...	108	49,712	0	0	0	1	5·01	
Umrala ,, ...	4	7	260	357	264	364	257	358	7	6	43,081	0	0	4	351	2	280	63	9	5	...	84	48	8	218	37,605	0	0	0	1	28·58	
Gadhada ,, ...	2	6	149	261	151	267	145	265	6	2	18,348	0	0	2	255	4	223	28	3	2	...	53	102	54	56	18,932	0	0	0	1	4·63	
Botad ,, ...	21	5	142	507	163	512	158	501	5	11	39,032	0	0	5	500	2	406	90	8	3	...	128	147	96	130	38,001	0	0	0	1	8·02	
Total ...	251	221	3,386	5,876	4,137	6,097	3,916	5,896	221	201	6,66,175	0	0	51	5,720	105	4,671	982	139	76	8	1,799	1,889	528	1,686	7,60,964	0	0	0	3	·08	

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APPENDIX XI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

CIVIL WORK.—Results of Applications for Execution of Decrees in the year 1908-09.

Tribunals.	Opening Balance.		Value of Opening Balance for present year.	Applications brought to the Register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing Balance.			Nature of Applications pending disposal at the close of the year.			Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Below 6 Months.	Below 12 Months.	Above 12 Months.	
			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.				
Chief Judge's Court ...	3	3	22,476 0 0	2	2	28,458 0 0	5	5	50,934 0 0	2	3	35,606 0 0	3	2	15,328 0 0	1	...	1	
Joint Chief Judge's Court	14	17	94,400 0 0	14	12	56,780 0 0	28	29	1,51,180 0 0	11	16	78,362 0 0	17	13	72,818 0 0	1	4	8	
Bhavnagar Civil Judge's Court	223	194	71,852 0 0	1,247	1,336	1,74,157 0 0	1,470	1,530	2,46,009 0 0	1,276	1,403	1,88,112 0 0	194	127	57,857 0 0	70	20	37	
Mahuva Court ...	338	94	43,176 0 0	1,192	2,553	4,00,459 0 0	1,525	2,647	4,43,635 0 0	1,431	2,492	3,59,888 0 0	94	155	83,747 0 0	90	32	33	
Kundla ,, ...	326	198	98,592 0 0	1,241	1,390	2,47,462 0 0	1,567	1,588	3,46,154 0 0	1,369	1,456	2,89,311 0 0	198	132	56,843 0 0	83	36	13	
Talaja ,, ...	199	172	24,560 0 0	667	1,102	1,32,766 0 0	866	1,274	1,57,326 0 0	694	1,207	1,34,142 0 0	172	67	23,184 0 0	40	13	14	
Lilia ,, ...	210	27	5,731 0 0	300	649	80,070 0 0	510	676	85,801 0 0	483	642	72,576 0 0	27	34	13,225 0 0	20	13	1	
Sihor ,, ...	136	59	22,224 0 0	313	550	92,076 0 0	449	609	1,14,300 0 0	390	585	96,920 0 0	59	24	17,380 0 0	19	3	2	
Umrala ,, ...	252	104	27,868 0 0	311	640	93,699 0 0	563	744	1,21,567 0 0	459	671	1,00,772 0 0	104	73	20,795 0 0	71	1	1	
Gadhada ,, ...	173	27	20,279 0 0	180	377	55,774 0 0	353	404	76,053 0 0	326	397	73,800 0 0	27	7	2,253 0 0	7	...	...	
Botad ,, ...	420	53	20,913 0 0	241	1,601	1,16,135 0 0	661	1,654	1,37,048 0 0	608	1,588	97,311 0 0	53	66	39,737 0 0	30	30	6	
Total ...	2,289	948	4,52,171 0 0	5,708	10,212	14,77,836 0 0	7,997	11,160	19,30,007 0 0	7,049	10,460	15,26,840 0 0	948	700	4,03,167 0 0	432	152	116	

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APPENDIX XII.

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CIVIL WORK.—Number and Results of Appeals in Civil Suits in the year 1908—09.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during		Total.		Disposed of during		Closing balance.		Value of Appeals filed during		How disposed of.										Average Duration.	
													Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for retrial.		Cases compromised and otherwise disposed of.			
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.
											Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.											Y. m. d.	Y. m. d.
Hazur Court	6	9	28	29	34	38	25	28	9	10	4,775 0 0	50,458 0 0	10	14	11	3	4	11	...	...	...	...	0 4 ·27	0 3 13
Chief Judge's Court ...	16	20	45	31	61	51	41	40	20	11	11,494 0 0	6,994 0 0	31	25	5	7	...	2	1	...	4	6	0 7 ·31	0 8 5·52
Joint Chief Judge's Court	46	41	193	178	239	219	198	164	41	55	42,161 0 0	31,849 0 0	104	87	33	23	33	26	12	11	16	17	0 5 5·33	0 4 7·37
Total... ...	68	70	266	238	334	308	264	232	70	76	58,430 0 0	89,301 0 0	145	126	49	33	37	39	13	11	20	23	0 5 20·88	0 5 8·63

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APPENDIX XIII.

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Statement showing the Number of Persons confined in the Jails and Lock-ups in the year 1908-09.

Stations.	Number of Prisons.	Number of Prisoners.				Daily Average.		Number of Prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total Cost of Jail and Prisoners.	Average period of accused under trial.	Remarks showing Mortality among Convicts in Jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total.							
				Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.				
									Rs a. p.	Days.	
Bhavnagar Central Jail.	1	122	153	314	275	132·5	114·6	114	11,485 0 0	...	4 died during the year.
Mahuva „ ...	1	1	41	70	42	5·16	1·93	2	772 0 0	2·24	
Kundla „ ...	1	3	65	36	68	3·5	2·57	...	726 0 0	2·11	
Talaja „ ...	1	...	19	13	19	·49	1·04	...	607 0 0	18·04	
Lilia „ ...	1	...	2	4	2	·02	·0041	...	435 0 0	·235	
Sihor „ ...	1	...	20	14	20	·11	·18	...	595 0 0	10·5	
Umrala „ ...	1	...	28	7	28	·4	2·083	...	726 0 0	12·23	
Gadhada „ ...	1	...	8	13	8	·47	·187	...	597 0 0	6·96	
Botad „ ...	1	...	5	78	5	8·44	·3	...	641 0 0	1·7	
Bhavnagar Lock-up	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	11·4	
Total... ..	9	126	341	549	467	151·09	122·89	116	16,584 0 0	7·2	

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APPENDIX K 7.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Registration of Documents during the year 1908—09.

Name of State.	Documents presented for Registration.		Nature of Documents presented.										Documents Registered.		Value of Documents Registered.		Documents of which Registration has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		Remarks.
			Mortgages.		Sale-deeds.		Wills.		Money-Bonds.		Miscellaneous.										
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Bhavangar Civil Judge's Court ...	248	249	141	156	8	13	28	43	7	10	64	27	248	249	62,487 0 0	92,144 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Mahuva Court	112	101	52	56	3	2	9	9	24	18	24	16	112	101	1,38,615 0 0	29,326 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Kundla „	67	52	55	41	6	8	2	1	...	...	4	2	67	52	39,614 0 0	38,274 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Talaja „	16	19	7	13	2	1	1	1	3	2	3	2	16	19	18,149 0 0	5,095 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Lilia „	7	10	5	7	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	7	10	6,343 0 0	9,900 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Sihor „	103	91	60	55	12	17	6	3	4	...	21	16	103	91	30,027 0 0	26,964 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Umrala „	27	24	24	21	1	3	...	...	...	...	2	...	27	24	6,478 0 0	7,070 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Gadhada „	28	32	20	26	4	2	...	...	3	1	1	3	28	32	7,337 0 0	14,381 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Botad „	26	41	24	40	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	26	41	6,884 0 0	22,110 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	634	619	388	415	38	46	48	57	41	32	119	69	634	619	3,15,934 0 0	2,45,264 0 0	...	...	...	...	

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APPENDIX **XIV.-A.**

Deeds relating to immovable property registered by the Revenue Department during the year 1908–09.

District.	Last Year, 1907-08.			Present year, 1908-09.			
	Number of Documents.	Aggregate Value.	Amount of Chowth.	Number of Documents.	Aggregate Value.	Amount of Chowth.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
	No.	Rs	Rs	No.	Rs	Rs	
Daskrohi	333	2,25,337	6,802	282	1,61,176	4,867	
Sihor	38	20,808	682	61	33,378	1,001	
Umrala	18	2,739	82	16	2,840	85	
Gadhada	14	2,782	83	14	3,498	104	
Botad	29	12,348	386	24	12,547	377	
Lilia	3	542	16	6	916	27	
Kundla	48	10,241	307	39	10,154	304	
Mahuva	89	65,862	1,975	99	58,866	1,766	
Talaja	15	6,345	190	20	8,758	263	
Port Victor	19	6,833	207	31	8,342	250	
Total ...	606	3,53,837	10,730	592	3,00,475	9,044	

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APPENDIX XV.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Receipts and Expenditure on account of Registration during the year 1908-09.

Description.	Past Year.			Present Year.			Remarks.
	Number of Deeds.	Value of Property.	Fees Realized.	Number of Deeds.	Value of Property.	Fees Realized.	
	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	
Mortgages	388	2,44,016 0 0	954 0 0	415	1,75,688 0 0	1,159 0 0	
Sale-deeds	38	10,093 0 0	95 0 0	46	26,575 0 0	112 0 0	
Wills	48	13,238 0 0	222 0 0	57	19,559 0 0	250 0 0	
Money-Bonds	41	19,114 0 0	71 0 0	32	11,899 0 0	41 0 0	
Miscellaneous	119	29,473 0 0	367 0 0	69	11,543 0 0	148 0 0	
Total... ...	634	3,15,934 0 0	1,709 0 0	619	2,45,264 0 0	1,710 0 0	
Deduct Expenditure... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Net Profit... ...	...	...	1,709 0 0	...	...	1,710 0 0	

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APPENDIX **XVI.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Receipts and Expenditure of the Municipalities in the years 1907–08 and 1908–09.

Name of Municipality.	Receipts in		Expenditure in	
	1907-08.	1908-09.	1907-08.	1908-09.
	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.
Municipal President's Office ...	...	...	1,229 0 0	1,125 0 0
Bhavnagar City Municipality ...	54,864 0 0	44,358 0 0	74,400 0 0	68,160 0 0
Mahuva do. ...	3,458 0 0	3,043 0 0	7,773 0 0	9,993 0 0
Kundla do. ...	82 0 0	62 0 0	4,524 0 0	4,840 0 0
Sihor do. ...	304 0 0	441 0 0	4,410 0 0	4,638 0 0
Botad do. ...	258 0 0	230 0 0	2,472 0 0	3,059 0 0
Gadhada do. ...	53 0 0	119 0 0	1,200 0 0	1,323 0 0
Umrala do. ...	72 0 0	86 0 0	1,413 0 0	1,550 0 0
Talaja do. ...	95 0 0	196 0 0	1,359 0 0	1,429 0 0
Rajula do. ...	142 0 0	120 0 0	1,173 0 0	1,167 0 0
Lilia do. ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	849 0 0	939 0 0
Grand Total ...	59,337 0 0	48,664 0 0	1,00,802 0 0	98,223 0 0

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APPENDIX XVII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement of Rainfall in 1908-09.

District.	April 1908.	May 1908.	June 1908.	July 1908.	August 1908.	September 1908.	October 1908.	November 1908.	December 1908.	January 1909.	February 1909.	March 1909.	Total.	Total of past year.	Average of past five years.	Remarks.
Bhavnagar	...	...	·49	14·43	12·20	·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	27·62	16·19	17·80	
Sihor	...	...	1·66	11·77	4·55	2·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	20·74	21·20	16·73	
Mahuva	...	...	·10	·25	11·37	7·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	19·58	23·66	14·62	
Kundla	...	...	1·60	6·15	3·79	1·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	12·75	20·98	17·34	
Lilia	...	...	·49	9·63	4·99	1·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	16·36	16·00	21·90	
Umrala	...	...	1·22	6·28	6·91	1·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	16·40	16·00	19·75	
Botad	·66	...	2·12	9·46	8·85	1.67	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·76	17·99	19·44	
Gadhada	...	0·10	0·78	10·95	5·34	2·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	19·64	10·44	20 81	
Talaja	...	...	5·40	12·70	9·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27·34	24·00	13·90	
Victor	...	...	·95	9·88	4·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14·98	24·28	14·7	
Average for the whole State...	0·6	0·1	1·47	9·15	7·14	2·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	19·81	19·07	17·69	

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APPENDIX **XVII.—A.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative table of Rainfall in the various Districts for eight years ending 1908–09.

Districts.	Samvat year 1957.	Samvat year 1958.	Samvat year 1959.	Samvat year 1960.	Samvat year 1961.	Samvat year 1962.	Samvat year 1963.	Samvat year 1964.	Average per District.
Bhavnagar City ...	17·3	24·29	26·12	14·12	14·6	19·27	16·19	27·62	19·91
Sihor	11·67	27·23	23·77	9·42	12·19	26·38	21·20	20·74	18·07
Mahuva	14·4	14·23	23·77	5·93	12·34	18·5	23·66	19·58	16·55
Kundla	10·30	18·15	16·50	8·36	10·41	21·8	20·98	12·75	14·83
Lilia	11·44	24·12	26·31	8·64	9·44	27·50	16·0	16·36	17·47
Umrala	13·60	31·73	40·98	12·57	19·3	20·18	16·0	16·40	21·34
Botad	9·78	19·96	23·84	8·8	22·41	25·45	17·99	22·76	18·87
Gadhada	10·43	22·5	23·78	9·24	13·6	16·95	10·44	19·64	15·82
Talaja	16·51	30·25	36·55	7·59	12·21	23·62	24·0	27·34	22·3
Port Albert Victor ...	10·55	23·83	21·58	4·96	7·32	15·78	24·28	14·98	15·4
Average for the whole State	12·59	23·62	26·32	8·96	13·38	21·42	19·7	19·81	18·22

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APPENDIX XVIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing Monthly Average Prices of Food-stuffs for five years ending with March 1909.

Month.	1904-05.				1905-06.				1906-07.				1907-08.				1908-09.			
	Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee				Seers for one Rupee.			
	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.
April	32	34	42	20	22	26	32	20	19	20	25	16	20	30	40	14	17	21	23	8½
May	30	33	42	20	20	22	25	18	19	20	25	16	19	29	38	13	16	21	23	8½
June	32	32	50	20	20	20	24	15	19	21	26	16	18	28	32	12	15	22	24	9
July	32	32	50	20	20	22	24	16	20	22	27	16	18	26	32	13	15	23	24	9
August	30	30	45	20	22	28	32	18	21	23	28	16	18	24	28	11	16	22	23	10
September	22	27	36	20	21	21	28	17	21	23	32	16	18	24	28	11	15	22	24	9
October	21	27	36	20	20	20	25	17	20	24	38	15	14	20	30	10	16	21	23	9
November	26	31	32	20	20	20	25	17	18	25	40	14	14	18	28	10	14	22	24	10
December	24	27	31	19	18	20	25	17	22	24	38	13	15	18	24	9	15	21	23	9
January	25	31	38	20	18	19	25	16	20	25	36	14	15	16	20	8	15	22	24	9
February	22	29	37	21	18	19	26	17	18	25	36	14	16	20	22	8	15	22	24	9
March	27	29	38	20	18	19	27	17	18	26	36	14	17	21	23	8½	16	21	23	8½

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APPENDIX XIX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Expenditure on Public Works during the year 1908-09.

Description of Work.	State Funds.			Local Funds.			Total.
	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Communications	59,662	74,437	1,34,099	...	...	...	1,34,099
Buildings...	59,284	18,021	77,305	...	...	...	77,305
Harbour Works	7,378	27,162	34,540	...	...	...	34,540
Water Works	7,749	7,872	15,621	...	...	...	15,621
Public Recreation	...	15,349	15,349	...	...	...	15,349
Miscellaneous Works	...	15,840	15,840	...	...	...	15,840
Works under Civil Departments ...	3,878	5,605	9,483	...	...	...	9,483
Works executed by other than the Public Works Department.	1,33,489	...	1,33,489	...	...	...	...
Electric Light Installation	96,287	...	96,287	...	...	...	...
Grand Total ...	3,67,727	1,64,286	5,32,013	...	...	...	5,32,013

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APPENDIX XX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Agricultural Stock during the year 1908-09 A. D., Samvat 1964.

District.	HORSES AND CATTLE.									PLOUGHS.		CARTS.		Remarks.
	Bullocks.	Cows.	Buffaloes. Males.	Buffaloes. Females.	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies.	Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	With two Bullocks.	With four Bullocks.	Riding.	Load carrying.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Bhavnagar State ...	43,529	13,965	212	20,208	2,608		3,411	2,26,966	20,184	...		1,609	7,891	

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APPENDIX **XXI.**

Statement showing the Excise Shops and Excise Revenue of the Bhavnagar State during the year 1908-09.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Ganja.		Tari.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	
		Rs.		Rs,		Rs.				Rs.	
Bhavnagar	44	14,000	73	19,000	17	1,444	...	...	134	84,444	

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APPENDIX XXII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing Receipts and Disbursements during the year 1964 (Samvat).

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Nature of Demand.	Demand. Arrears.	Demand. Current.	Demand. Total.	Collection during the current year.	Collection during the previous year.	Remission during the current year.	Balance.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cash balance at the commencement of the year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,88,206
Receipts.								
Land	30,62,040	26,83,500	57,45,540	20,47,437	24,79,924	33,857	36,64,246	
Customs	31,569	2,83,082	3,14,651	2,80,274	3,51,236	...	34,377	
Abkari	158	29,745	29,903	21,745	29,020	...	8,158	
Salt	...	15,112	15,112	15,112	21,265	...	..	
Taxes	20,917	65,671	86,588	64,361	57,416	...	22,227	
Law-Courts	...	82,984	82,984	82,984	76,976	...	...	
Miscellaneous	58,009	53,154	1,11,163	53,821	49,983	...	57,342	
Education	...	22,767	22,767	22,767	21,701	...	...	
Sudhara Varad	27,678	36,161	63,839	31,152	36,924	...	32,687	
Interest and Exchange ...	56,361	1,63,185	2,19,546	1,48,670	2,22,249	...	70,876	
Profit and Loss	...	3,891	3,891	3,891	3,342	...	...	
Printing Press	...	23,778	23,778	23,778	27,344	...	...	
Forests	...	22,832	22,832	22,832	20,256	...	...	
Najarano	...	99	99	99	55	...	...	
Total	32,56,732	34,85,961	67,42,693	28,18,923	33,97,691	33,857	38,89,913	
Previous arrears recovered ...	...	...	...	+ 95,551	+6,88,865	...	—95,551	
Total... ...	32,56,732	34,85,961	67,42,693	29,14,474	40,86,556	33,857	37,94,362	
Railway	...	11,16,823	11,16,823	11,16,823	10,60,149	...	...	
Grand Total ...	32,56,732	46,02,784	78,59,516	40,31,297	51,46,705	33,857	37,94,362	

Receipts during the year 1964 as shown in column 5 above ...	40,31,297
Deposits in the Savings Bank	8,68,676
One year Fixed Deposits	20,15,955
Deposits of Departments *less* withdrawals	12,113
Re-payment of Loans by Merchants	6,35,574
Railway Provident Institution	43,760
Railway Net Earning' Reserved Fund Account	3,23,733
Adjustment of advances to Departments and others	43,417
Hakdar's Account	1,19,694
Total... ...	97,82,425

DISBURSEMENTS.

Nature of Expenditure	Budget Estimates. Current year.	Budget Estimates. Previous year.	Actual Expenditure. Current year.	Actual Expenditure. Previous year.	Amount.
10	11	12	13	14	15
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Political (including tribute, &c.)	2,23,176	2,22,865	2,22,006	2,18,263	
Darbar (including Rajkutumb and Relatives).	3,75,567	3,75,995	3,74,974	3,76,027	
Administration	1,27,837	1,29,363	1,33,380	1,21,300	
Revenue...	4,27,069	4,50,898	3,61,346	3,75,508	
Law-Courts (including Jail, &c.)	99,215	98,402	88,027	87,279	
Police	1,21,332	1,18,223	1,27,567	1,20,875	
Education	1,49,002	1,44,191	1,37,306	1,32,267	
Medical (including Vaccination).	72,067	70,644	67,834	68,132	
Public Works (including Press, &c.)	3,31,285	4,62,820	5,78,468	3,66,107	
Municipality	96,335	1,02,783	1,00,771	98,133	
Pension	1,53,352	1,54,045	1,56,621	1,50,069	
Charities...	89,035	87,899	1,12,166	79,571	
Guests	14,106	13,709	19,443	31,498	
Public Recreation... ...	29,963	29,787	22,898	21,629	
Inam	12,925	13,570	20,315	8,859	
Conveyance	1,18,002	1,16,516	1,29,596	1,36,888	
Stud and Sick Stable ...	25,175	24,875	38,345	31,625	
Profit and Loss	...	...	13,841	91,291	
Hakdar	1,88,560	1,94,420	1,34,953	1,83,730	
Interest, &c.	1,98,000	2,05,000	2,20,825	1,91,209	
Imperial Service Lancers ...	1,79,358	1,71,090	1,76,199	1,45,865	
Do. Purchase of Horses.	...	...	..	...	
Infantry...	61,243	67,489	61,403	59,661	
Miscellaneous (including District tours, extra servants, &c.)	89,154	81,722	2,74,836	2,21,423	
Total... ...	31,81,769	33,36,306	35,72,030	33,17,209	
Railway	4,50,000	4,97,000	4,84,956	4,37,466	
Graud Total...	36,31,769	38,33,306	40,56,986	37,54,675	

Expenditure during 1964 as per Column 13	40,56,986
Railway Capital Expenditure	31,021
Amount paid by way of re-payment of the Loan of 1956 ...	3,75,000
Withdrawals from the Savings Bank	8,24,830
,, ,, Fixed Deposits	16,84,460
Amount carried to the credit of the Railway Net Earning's Reserved Fund Accounts.	3,23,733
Advances to Departments and others	7,740
Short period deposits in Banks and Loans to Merchants	6,92,800
Investment in Government Promissory Notes	1,00,000
,, for the Railway Reserved Fund	1,33,405
Investment in the Tata Iron and Steel Manufacturing Co.'s Shares ...	40,000
Cash balance at the end of the year	15,12,450
Total...	97,82,425

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APPENDIX **XXII.-A.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Financial Position of the State at the end of Samvat 1964.

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Particulars.	Amount.	Amount.	Particulars.	Amount.	Amount.
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
To Balance of last year	16,88,206		By Expenditure for 1964 as shown in column 13 of Appendix **XXII**...	...	40,56,986
„ Amount transferred to Darbar Credit, being surplus of Revenue including the above balance at the end of 1963 ... ...Rs. 10,650,847			„ Deposits re-paid during the year:—		
Less—Balance shown above ... „ 16,88,206			(*a*) Miscellaneous Deposits of Departments and others	...	53,207
	89,62,641		*Dues and Advances.*		
		1,06,50,847	„ Dues by the Districts for arrears, &c.	...	39,50,950
„ Receipts for 1964 as shown in column 3 of Appendix **XXII**...	...	46,02,784	„ Loans and advances as under :—		
			(*a*) Advances to Departments and others ...	7,740	
			(*b*) Loan to Bhayats	1,74,420	
			(*c*) „ Merchants and short period deposits in Banks	7,10,968	8,93,128
Debts and Liabilities.			„ Debt paid to Messrs. Prabhashanker S. P. & Co....	...	3,75,000
			„ Amount carried to the credit of the Railway Net Earnings' Reserved Fund Account	...	3,23,733
„ Deposits as under :—			„ Investments as under :—		
(*a*) Railway Provident Fund Account ...	4,95,812		(*a*) B.-G.-J.-P. Railway	79,40,859	
(*b*) Hakdars Account	3,70,376		(*b*) Ahmedabad-Dholka Railway Shares ...	1,00,000	
(*c*) B.-G.-J.-P. Railway Current Account ...	47,478		(*c*) Shiajee Chokolate Manufacturing Co. Shares	2,000	
(*d*) Savings Bank Account	14,67,300		(*d*) Government Promissory Notes	16,53,100	
(*e*) Fixed Deposits Account	19,99,325		(*e*) „ purchased for the Railway Net Earnings Reserved Fund ...	1,33,405	
(*f*) Charity and Scholarships Deposits... ...	29,100		(*f*) Bombay Port Trust Bond	1,000	
(*g*) Railway Net Earnings' Reserved Fund Account	3,23,733		(*g*) Bombay Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares ...	3,00,000	
(*h*) Miscellaneous Deposits of Departments and others	15,933	47,49,057	(*h*) Sarasvati Mill Shares	25,000	
			(*i*) The Tata Iron & Steel Co.'s Shares ...	1,68,970	1,03,24,334
„ Debts as under :—					
Bhavnagar State Bonds	...	14,87,100	„ Balance	...	15,12,450
Total... ...	...	2,14,89,788	Total... ...	...	2,14,89,788

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APPENDIX XXIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement of Medical Relief afforded in the years 1907-08 and 1908-1909.

No.	Names.	Number of Patients Treated.				Result of In-Patients.								Expenditure.		Average Daily Attendance.	
		Out-Patients.		In-Patients.		1907-08.				1908-09.							
		1907-08.	1908-09.	1907-08.	1908-09.	Discharged.	Absented.	Died.	Remaining.	Discharged.	Absented.	Died.	Remaining.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1907-08.	1908-09.
	Chief Medical Officer's Office Establishment, &c.													Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.		
														9,197 0 0	10,180 0 0		
1	Bhavnagar Takhtsingjee Hospital ...	10,239	10,484	560	532	465	35	23	37	414	56	23	39	16,904 0 0	17,369 0 0	357	310
2	„ Jail „ ...	726	762	178	138	164	...	10	4	132	...	1	5	733 0 0	605 0 0	34	33
3	„ Sir Jasvantsingjee Dispensary...	22,877	20,384	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,409 0 0	7,005 0 0	507	452
4	„ Benba Naniben Female Dispensary	6,570	5,468	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,106 0 0	2,221 0 0	132	105
5	„ Juwansingjee Dispensary ...	23,027	23,115	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,766 0 0	5,386 0 0	596	444
6	„ Imperial Lancers' „ ...	2,902	2,599	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,138 0 0	920 0 0	39	43
7	„ Darbari Aushadhalaya... ...	4,596	5,033	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	700 0 0	814 0 0	68	80
8	Sir Takhtsingjee Poor-house Dispensary	71	50	6	4	3	...	...	3	4	...	...	...	478 0 0	458 0 0	12	9
9	Mahuwa Dispensary	14,305	13,823	6	15	4	1	1	...	11	3	...	1	3,542 0 0	3,530 0 0	256	223
10	Sihor „	8,992	7,636	6	2	4	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	3,234 0 0	2,655 0 0	153	119
11	Kundla „	10,129	9,575	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,830 0 0	2,086 0 0	157	163
12	Botad „	3,665	3,518	1	4	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	1,558 0 0	1,222 0 0	73	59
13	Talaja „	4,379	3,668	6	1	5	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1,513 0 0	1,409 0 0	70	51
14	Umrala „	3,089	2,978	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1,301 0 0	1,103 0 0	47	48
15	Gadhada „	5,080	5,584	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,961 0 0	1,422 0 0	71	90
16	Lilia „	2,533	3,531	3	3	1	1	1	...	2	...	1	...	1,385 0 0	1,317 0 0	28	40
17	Rajula „	3,290	3,759	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1,355 0 0	1,347 0 0	50	61
18	Jesar „	3,330	2,978	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1,183 0 0	1,157 0 0	46	34
	Total... ...	1,29,800	1,24,945	770	703	651	37	36	46	572	59	27	45	63,293 0 0	62,211 0 0	2,696	2,364

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APPENDIX XXIV.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Vital Statistics for the year 1908-09.

Name.	Population.	Births.		Increase.	Decrease.	Deaths.		Increase.	Decrease.	Ratio per 1000 of Population.				Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.			Past year.	Present year.			Births.		Deaths.		
										Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
Bhavnagar ...	4,12,664	8,769	8,749	...	20	8,946	6,763	...	2,183	21·3	21·2	21·6	16·3	

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APPENDIX **XXV.**

Particulars as to the Schools maintained by the Bhavnagar State for the year 1908–09.

Number of Schools.		Description of Schools.	average monthly Number on the rolls.		Daily average attendance.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary.	Primary.	
1	1	High School	317	348	285	304	13,774 0 0	...	...	
5	5	First Grade Anglo-Vernacular Schools	796	803	706	721	...	13,410 0 0	...	
2	2	English Classes	83	93	70	81	...	666 0 0	...	
1	1	Majiraj English School for Girls ..	12	8	9	6	...	1,610 0 0	...	
2	2	Grant-in-aid English Schools ...	321	382	282	342	...	1,801 0 0	...	
121	122	Primary Boys' Schools	8,922	8,932	6,847	6,980	...	...	53,286 0 0	Rs 1,375 are given in cash to the students instead of 'sidhas' every year.
19	20	„ Girls' Schools	2,543	2,732	1,578	1,825	...	...	15,788 0 0	
3	3	Sanskrit Pathshalas	73	66	58	52	...	...	1,033 0 0	
1	1	Urdu School	105	125	84	101	...	...	791 0 0	
2	2	Grant-in-aid Vernacular Schools at Mahuva	285	315	227	262	...	...	294 0 0	

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APPENDIX **XXV. A.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement showing Attendance, Expenditure, &c., in the several Educational Institutions in the years 1907–08 and 1908–09.

1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9
Class and Name of Institution.	Number of Institutions.		Average monthly number on the Rolls throughout the year.		Average daily attendance		Total Expenditure.		Receipts from Fees.		Net Expenditure (*i. e.*, difference of Columns 5 and 6.)		Incidence of net cost per pupil.		Remarks.
	1907-08.	1908-09.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1907-08.	1908-09.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	
I. Arts College—															
Samaldas College	1	1	70	60	64	56	19,607 0 0	20,432 0 0	2,888 0 0	2,632 0 0	16,719 0 0	17,800 0 0	239 0 0	297 0 0	
II. High School—															
Alfred High School	1	1	317	348	285	304	13,878 0 0	13,774 0 0	5,225 0 0	5,921 0 0	8,653 0 0	7,853 0 0	27 0 0	23 0 0	
III. Middle Schools—															
(1) Anglo Vernacular School, Bhavnagar	1	1	389	394	352	364	5,332 0 0	5,287 0 0	3,193 0 0	3,210 0 0	2,139 0 0	2,077 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	
(2) ,, ,, Mahuva ...	1	1	186	193	162	163	3,121 0 0	3,687 0 0	1,377 0 0	1,466 0 0	1,744 0 0	2,221 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0	
(3) ,, ,, Sihor ...	1	1	110	124	96	112	1,903 0 0	1,880 0 0	706 0 0	865 0 0	1,197 0 0	1,015 0 0	11 0 0	8 0 0	
(4) ,, ,, Kundla ...	1	1	66	46	58	42	1,239 0 0	1,239 0 0	467 0 0	355 0 0	772 0 0	884 0 0	12 0 0	19 0 0	
(5) ,, ,, Botad ...	1	1	45	46	38	40	1,365 0 0	1,317 0 0	319 0 0	361 0 0	1,046 0 0	956 0 0	23 0 0	24 0 0	
(6) Gujarati High School English Class.	1	1	63	66	55	59	...	420 0 0	...	180 0 0	...	240 0 0	...	4 0 0	
(7) Rajula English Class *	1	1	20	27	15	22	240 0 0	240 0 0	50 0 0	63 0 0	190 0 0	177 0 0	10 0 0	7 0 0	* This Rajula Class is transferred to this Head of Middle Schools, from the Primary Schools.
(8) Majiraj Girls' School English Class..	1	1	12	8	9	6	1,713 0 0	1,610 0 0	150 0 0	122 0 0	1,563 0 0	1,488 0 0	47 0 0	90 0 0	
Total of Middle Schools...	8	8	891	904	785	808	14,913 0 0	15,680 0 0	6,262 0 0	6,622 0 0	8,651 0 0	9,058 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	
IV. Primary Schools—															
(1) Boys' Schools	121	122	8,922	8,932	6,847	6,980	50,732 0 0	53,286 0 0	7,645 0 0	8,250 0 0	43,087 0 0	45,036 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
(2) Girls' ,, ...	19	20	2,543	2,732	1,578	1,825	14,640 0 0	15,788 0 0	...	...	14,640 0 0	15,788 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	
(3) Sanskrit Pathshalas	3	3	73	66	58	52	2,279 0 0	1,033 0 0	...	...	2,279 0 0	† 1,033 0 0	31 0 0	16 0 0	† Endowments deducted, & given under a separate head.
(4) Urdu School	1	1	105	125	84	101	743 0 0	791 0 0	...	...	743 0 0	791 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	
Total of Primary Schools...	144	146	11,643	11,855	8,567	8,958	68,394 0 0	70,898 0 0	7,645 0 0	8,250 0 0	60,749 0 0	62,648 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
V. Grant-in-Aid Schools—															
(1) New English School, Bhavnagar...	1	1	212	243	184	217	1,106 0 0	1,186 0 0	...	...	1,106 0 0	1,186 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
(2) Sanatan Dharma School ,, ...	1	1	109	139	98	125	465 0 0	615 0 0	...	...	465 0 0	615 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
(3) Vernacular Schools, Mahuva ...	2	2	285	315	227	262	373 0 0	294 0 0	...	...	373 0 0	294 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	
Total of Aided Schools...	4	4	606	697	509	604	1,944 0 0	2,095 0 0	...	...	1,944 0 0	2,095 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	
Total of all Educational Institutions...	158	160	13,527	13,864	10,210	10,730	1,18,736 0 0	1,22,879 0 0	22,020 0 0	23,425 0 0	96,716 0 0	99,454 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	
Inspection charges incurred on all Schools except College.	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,160 0 0	4,788 0 0	...	...	5,160 0 0	4,788 0 0	...	...	
Head-Office Establishment.	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,208 0 0	4,503 0 0	...	...	5,208 0 0	4,503 0 0	...	...	
School Apparatus, books, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,496 0 0	1,000 0 0	...	...	1,496 0 0	1,000 0 0	...	...	
Buildings and Repairs through Engineering Department.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,174 0 0	2,809 0 0	...	...	1,174 0 0	2,809 0 0	...	...	
Encouragements to Authors	...	...	...	...	...	...	500 0 0	500 0 0	...	...	500 0 0	500 0 0	...	...	
Endowments to Pathshalas	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,375 0 0	1,375 0 0	...	...	1,375 0 0	1,375 0 0	...	...	
Miscellaneous Grants, Scholarships &c. &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,000 0 0	5,337 0 0	...	...	5,000 0 0	5,337 0 0	...	...	
Grand Total	158	160	13,527	13,864	10,210	10,730	1,38,649 0 0	1,43,191 0 0	22,020 0 0	23,425 0 0	1,16,629 0 0	1,19,766 0 0	8 0 0	9 0 0	

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APPENDIX **XXV-B**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Private Schools in 1908-09.

1. The Khoja Boys' School at Bhavnagar.
2. „ Girls' „ „
3. „ Girls' „ Mahuva.
4. The Mahomedan Madressa „
5. The Jain Girls' School at Bhavnagar.
6. The Bohra School at „
7. The Mission School for Boys „
8. „ „ for Girls „
9. The Sanatan Dharma Girls' School..

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APPENDIX XXV.-C.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Scholarships granted in the year 1908-09.

No.	Name of Scholarship.	No. of Scholarships.	Aggregate Value per Month. Rs	a.	p.
1	University Scholarships called Sir Jaswantsinhji Scholar	2	24	0	0
2	ships.				
3	Darbari Scholarships in Samaldas College	14	90	0	0
4	Juwansinhji Scholarships „	2	16	0	0
5	Ahmedabad Nursing School Scholarship	1	10	0	0
6	Ahmedabad Homeopathic Biocromic Medical School „ ...	1	10	0	0
7	The Grant Medical College Scholarship	1	15	0	0
8	The Bombay Ayurved Vidyalaya Scholarship	1	8	0	0
9	Ahmedabad B. J. Medical School „	1	10	0	0
10	Agra Medical School „	1	15	0	0
11	Mahal Scholarships for students in Bhavnagar High School	10	50	0	0
12	Grasia Scholarships in Bhavnagar High School	10	60	0	0
13	„ „ A.-V. School	10	60	0	0
14	Scholarships for Students in England	2	625	0	0
15	The Bhavnagar High School Scholarship	5	28	0	0
16	„ Gujarati High School	1	5	0	0
17	The Ahmedabad High School „	1	15	0	0
18	The Aligad Mahomedan Anglo-Oriental College	2	50	0	0
19	The Grasia School Scholarships, Gondal	4	65	0	0
20	The Poona Agricultural College Scholarships	2	30	0	0
21	The Nagpore „ „ „	2	27	0	0
22	The Bombay Technical Institute	3	50	0	0
23	Samalds college Grassia Scholarships	2	20	0	0
24	The Baroda Kala-Bhuvan Scholarships	1	10	0	0
25	„ Commercial class	1	10	0	0
26	Scholarship for the study of M. A.	1	15	0	0
27	„ for the study of Weaving	1	5	0	0
28	Sanatan Dharm School Scholarships	2	9	0	0
29	Scholarship for the study of Geology in Benaras	1	5	0	0
30	The Gokaldas Tejpal High School Scholarship	1	10	0	0
31	The Majiraj Girls' School Scholarships	2	10	8	0
32	The Vadva „ Scholarship	1	4	0	0
	Keshaba Scholarships for Grasia Girl-students	2	10	0	0
		91	1,371	8	0

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APPENDIX XXVI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement of Revenue Recovery and Arrears for the years 1907-08 and 1908-09

District.	Samvat 1963.			Samvat 1964.		
	Demand.	Recovery.	Arrears.	Demand.	Recovery.	Arrears.
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Mahuva	4,84,024	4,57,018	27,006	3,84,128	3,45,520	38,608
Kundla	6,84,762	6,20,155	64,607	6,20,158	5,86,862	33,296
Lilia	3,70,748	3,18,600	52,148	3,42,824	2,49,105	93,719
Umrala	3,56,201	3,32,321	23,880	3,15,514	1,98,701	1,16,813
Botad	2,82,995	2,56,450	26,545	2,52,965	1,07,295	1,45,670
Daskrohi	2,83,263	2,67,416	15,847	1,66,758	93,514	73,244
Gadhada	1,88,151	1,76,318	11,833	1,54,831	64,696	90,135
Sihor	1,79,255	1,52,500	26,755	1,27,782	1,05,541	22,241
Talaja	1,91,439	1,81,023	10,416	1,45,901	1,27,362	18,539
Victor	1,98,074	1,83,465	14,609	1,72,639	1,68,841	3,798
Customs	1,79,244	1,79,244	...	2,83,082	2,80,274	2,808
Forest	20,256	20,256	...	22,832	22,832	...
Liquor	14,000	14,000	...	14,000	14,000	...
Printing Press ...	27,344	27,344	...	23,778	23,778	...
Abkari, Law, Education, Interest, and Miscellaneous ...	1,19,613	89,126	30,487	4 58,769	4,30,602	28,167
Total... ...	35,79,369	32,75,236	3,04,133	34,85,961	28,18,923	6,67,038
Railway	10,60,149	10,60,149	...	11,16,823	11,16,823	...
Grand Total...	46,39,518	43,35,385	3,04,133	46,02,784	39,35,746	6,67,038

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APPENDIX XXVII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

CASES OF POISONING brought for treatment at the Hospital and Dispensaries in the year 1908-1909.

No	Names of Dispensaries.	Opium.			Arsenic.			Dhatura.			Alcohol.			Liniment Belladonna.			Iodine.			Copper.			Illicium Anisatum.			Jetropha Curcas.			Pounded Glass.			Poisoned Wounds.												Grand Total.		
																															Snakebite.			Scorpion bite.			Centipedes.			Dog-bite.					
		Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.
1	Bhavnagar Takhtsingjee Hospital ...	11	11	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	14	14	..	..	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	24	24	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	3	3	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	57	57	...
2	„ Jail „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	„ Sir Jasvantsingjee Dispensary...	3	3	..	...	..	...	..	..	..	25	25	..	..	..	..	1	1	...	1	1	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	...	1	1	...	..	..	...	37	37	...
4	„ Benba Naniben Female Dispensary	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	„ Juwansingjee Dispensary	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	3	3	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	4	4	...
6	„ Imperial Lancer's „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...
7	„ Darbari Aushadhalaya ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Sir Takhtsingjee Poor-house Dispensary	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Mahuva Dispensary	4	4	..	...	...	...	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	8	8	...
10	Sihor „	1	1	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	1	17	17	..	...	...	...	..	..	...	21	20	1
11	Kundla „	3	3	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	4	4	...
12	Botad „	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3	2	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	9	3
13	Talaja „	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	1	1	...
14	Umrala „	1	1	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	5	5	...
15	Gadhada „	3	3	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	32	32	..	...	...	...	..	..	...	36	36	...
16	Lilia „	1	1	..	...	...	...	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	10	10	..	...	...	...	..	..	...	14	3	1
17	Rajula „	2	1	1	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	2	1	1
18	Jesar „	1	1	...	...	...	...	95	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	102	102	...
	Total ...	31	29	2	...	...	...	99	98	1	39	39	..	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	24	24	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	16	13	3	90	90	...	1	1	...	..	..	...	305	299	6

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APPENDIX XXVIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement of Surgical Operations performed in the year 1908-1909.

Major Operations.

Removal of Malignant Tumours	3
Removal of Non-malignant Tumours ...	5
Removal of Cysts	1
Removal, Foreign Bodies Deep Tissue ...	2
Opening of Deep Abscesses	23
Abscision of Eye for Staphyloma	1
Excision for Entropion	...
Excision for Trichiasis	26
Excision of Pterygium	9
Restoration of Eye-Ball	...
Passing of Probe, Lacrymal Obstruction ...	1
Iridectomy	...
Extraction of Lens	18
Solution of Lens	...
Paracentesis Anterior Chamber	...
Laceration of Opaque Capsule	...
Incision of Adhesions of Eye-lids	1
Removal of Polypus Ear	2
Removal Foreign Body Pharynx	1
Extraction of Nasal Polypus	1
Ligature of Vein	1
Reduction of Hernia	2
For Imperforate Anus	2
Paracentesis of the Abdomen	2
Peritomy Pannus	1
Opening of Fistula in Ano	1
Lithotomy	...
Litholapaxy	33
Dilatation of Stricture	4
Removal Sequestra	1
Application of Forceps	12
Version	5
Separation of Placenta Previa before birth of Child	...
Removal of Adherent Placenta	3
Removal of Ovum	4
Reduction of Inverted Uterus	...
Craniotomy	1
Removal caries Bone...	1
Excision Phalangeal Joint	1
Division of Cicatricial Adhesions	2
Reduction of Dislocation clavical	3
Do. do. metacarpus ...	2
Fracture Radius	2
Reduction of Dislocation Hip	...
Do. do. Patella	...
Do. do. Elbow	2
Do. do. Shoulder... ...	5
Do. do. Lower Jaw ...	11
Do. do. Humerus... ...	2
Do. do. Ankle	1
Do. do. Knee	1
Amputation of Fore-arm	3
Do. Foot	1
Do. Leg	5
Do. Penis	1
	209

Minor Operations.

Removal of Tumours	5
Removal of Warts	88
Removal of Cysts	13
Do. Corn	4
Opening of Whit low	1
Removal, Foreign Body Œsophagus ...	2
Do. do. Skin	22
Do. do. Eye	16
Do. do. Ear	83
Do. do. Nose	35
Do. do. Upper Extremities	2
Do. Eyelashes	173
Cutting Uvula	2
Carried over ...	446

Brought forward	446
Scarification of Chemosis	3
Do. of Palpebral Conjunctiva	
Epilation for Trichiasis	...
Opening of Small Abscesses...	1,413
Opening of Gum Boils	20
For Ranula	1
Opening of Bubo	8
Incision Inflammation Gum	1
Paracentesis anterior chamber Eye... ...	1
Extraction of Teeth	1,023
Eruption of Teeth	...
Excision of Frænum of Tongue	1
Rupture of Bursæ	2
Ligature of Artery	1
Reduction of Hernia...	4
Plastic cleft Ear	2
Reduction of Prolapsus Ani...	6
Opening of Fistula in Ano	4
Application of stomach Pump	4
Replacing of Protruding Bowel	1
Passing of Catheters...	180
Removal of Urethral Calculi	2
Dilatation Urethral Stricture	11
Opening Urinary Fistula	1
Slitting, Phimosis	14
Circumcision for Phimosis	20
Reduction, Paraphimosis	5
Scarification for Paraphimosis	4
Tapping, Hydrocele	6
Do. Hematoma...	1
Do. Synovitis	1
Plugging of Cervix Uteri	28
Removal of Remains of Hymen	...
Scarification of Cervix Uteri	...
Dilatation of Cervical Canal...	...
Removal of Polypi from Cervix Uteri	...
Insertion of Vaginal Pessary	21
Incision for Imperforate Hymen	2
Dilatation of Os	35
Rectification of Displacements of Uterus ...	25
Removal of Retained Placenta	...
Injection into Uterus to arrest Hæmerrhage	1
Removal of small Sequestra	3
Refracture of Clavical Bone	...
Removal of Necrosed Bone	1
Scraping caries Bone	2
Do. Mycetoma	1
Amputation of Thumb	...
Amputation of Finger	5
Removal of Supernumerary Finger... ...	7
Puncturing œdema	1
Do. Epulis	1
Cupping	33
Treatment of snake bite	1
For Cicatrices...	1
Skin Grafting	5
Subcutaneous Injections	17
Application of Sutures	122
	3,498
	3,707

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APPENDIX XXIX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

STATEMENT showing Particulars of Vaccination for the year 1908--1909.

Name of the State.	Population according to the Census of 1901.	Total No. of villages.	Of the Total No. of villages visited by			No. of Children.				Percentage of successful cases in which the results were known.	Small-pox.								Number of persons successfully vaccinated per 1,000 population.	Cost.		Remarks.
						Total number vaccinated.		Number inspected.			No. of Villages affected.	No. of Cases.								Total.	Per each successful case.	
												Previously protected.			Previously unprotected.							
			Vaccinators.	Inspectors.	Superintendents.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	By Inspectors.	By Superintendents.			Recovered.	Died.	Deformed.	Recovered.	Died.	Deformed.					
																				Rs	Rs a. p.	
Bhavnagar ...	412,664	658	642	329	77	P 12,650 R 65	313 7	10,315	6,113	P 96·7 R 87·8	3	5	...	...	17	6	1	30·8	6,031	0 7 7		

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APPENDIX XXX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the details of Vaccination during the year 1908-09.

No.	Circles.	Population of District according to census of 1901.	Average population per square mile.	Average number of vaccinators employed throughout the year.	Total Number of persons vaccinated.			Average number of persons vaccinated by each Vaccinator.	PRIMARY VACCINATION.					RE-VACCINATION.			Percentage of successful cases in which the results were known.		Persons successfully vaccinated per 1,000 of population.	Percentage of unknown cases to total cases.		Average annual No. of persons successfully vaccinated during previous five years.		Average annual No. of deaths from small-pox during previous five years.	
									Total.	SUCCESSFUL.			Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unknown.	Primary.	Re-vaccination.		Primary.	Re-vaccination.	Number.	Ratio per 1,000.	Number.	Ratio per 1,000.
										Under one year.	One and under six years.	Total of all ages.													
1	2	3	4	5	6			7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
					M.	F.	Total.																		
1	Bhavnagar ...	61,623	209·6	1	P 1,114	1,021	2,135	...	2,142	1,608	465	2,098	1	5	4	...	97·9	80·0	34·1	0·04	...	1,914	31·0	31	0·5
					R 2	3	5																		
2	Mahuva ...	56,687	182·9	1	P 918	891	1,809	...	1,809	1,269	466	1,752	1	5	...	...	96·8	...	30·9	0·2	...	1,297	22·8	17	0·3
					R 3	2	5																		
3	Kundla ...	53,608	147·3	1	P 787	761	1,548	...	1,548	1,376	159	1,535	6	2	...	2	99·1	...	28·6	0·3	100·0	1,382	25·7	2	0·03
					R 1	1	2																		
4	Rajula ...	46,504	95·9	1	P 737	781	1,518	...	1,518	837	655	1,492	16	61	61	...	98·2	100·0	33·3	1·0	...	1,339	28·8	4	0·08
					R 52	9	61																		
5	Sihor ...	56,213	161·8	1	P 874	826	1,700	...	1,730	1,026	562	1,598	26	...	..	...	92·3	...	28·4	1·5	...	1,218	21·6	7	0·1
					R ...	...	...																		
6	Botad ...	45,216	107·4	1	P 741	678	1,419	...	1,419	960	430	1,394	1	...	...	...	98·2	...	30·8	0·07	...	958	21·1	6	0·1
					R ...	...	...																		
7	Talaja ...	48,044	125·8	1	P 814	842	1,656	...	1,670	1,292	284	1,579	56	1	...	...	94·5	...	32·8	3·3	...	1,362	28·3	15	0·3
					R 1	...	1																		
8	Umrala ...	44,769	162·8	1	P 634	604	1,238	...	1,238	883	316	1,202	1	...	...	...	97·1	...	26·8	0·08	...	975	21·7	6	0·1
					R ...	...	...																		
	Total ...	4,12,664	143·4	8	P 6,619	6,404	13,023	1,637	13,074	9,251	3,337	12,650	111	74	65	2	96·7	87·8	30·8	0·8	2·7	10,445	25·3	88	0·2
					R 59	15	74																		

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APPENDIX **XXXI.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

STATEMENT of the EXPORT TRADE of the several Ports for the years 1907-1908 and 1908-1909.

EXPORT.

Number	Names of Articles.	Bhavnagar.				Mangva.				Port Albert Victor.				Talaja.				Sonrai.				Total.			
		1907-1908.		1908-1909.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.	
		Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.
1	Cotton ... ...cwts.	550,999-1	1,43,25,543	250,658-2	65,03,322-12	83,967	23,18,030	44,736	12,42,600	...	...	722	18,385	...	...	91	1,810	0-1-0	5-4	...	...	6,34,996-2	1,66,43,544-4	2,95,389-2	77,72,117-12
2	Grain ... ... ,,	87,815	4,77,424	2,90,143	12,63,884	1,03,341	3,55,949	1,02,455	5,16,804	50,773	1,50,937	52,036	3,55,837-4	50,312	1,58,107	58,462	2,78,660	8,888	31,622	285	1,453	3,01,129	11,54,019	5,03,361	25,18,725-4
3	Wool ... ... ,,	6,427	3,08,496	6,809	3,66,405	4,581	2,21,769	2,709	1,27,016	...	...	59	2,160	...	...	12	337	...	...	...	...	11,008	5,29,265	9,518	4,93,878
4	Ghi ... ... ,,	7,723	3,47,535	10,500	5,25,000	5,440	2,75,351	5,841	3,09,814	892-2	41,126	1,067-2	54,199-15	1,352	67,982	633	31,573	0-1-0	16	3	3-0	15,317	7,32,213	18,044-2	9,20,660-15
5	Molasses ... ... ,,	5,120	35,140	2,967-1	26,705-4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,120	35,140	2,967-1	26,705-4
6	Cotton-seeds... ... ,,	68,191	1,70,477	54,748	1,77,931	34,687	86,705	3,141	16,079	...	...	223	562-8	...	...	110	155	...	...	...	...	1,02,879	2,57,182	60,224	1,95,627-8
7	Hides ... ... No.	119,826	2,85,396	1,58,209	3,13,368	32,203	24,478	11,028	7,057	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,72,119	2,50,874	1,69,237	3,20,425
8	Cocoanuts ... ... ,,	24,420	1,345	5,975	239	33,370	1,597	1,02,300	4,217	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57,790	2,940	1,08,275	4,456
9	Stone ... ...cwts.	12,166	4,208	19,501	6,750-8	3,492	963	...	...	...	...	24,013	12,005	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,658	5,171	37,514	18,755-8
10	Oil, Sweet ... ... ,,	673	10,768	744	13,392	1,249	23,725	682	16,123	228	4,663	37-1	995-8	6-1	162	8	144	...	...	...	...	2,156-1	39,388	1,471-1	30,654-8
11	Dates ... ... ,,	3,762	18,810	10,454	36,589	...	...	195	987	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,762	18,810	10,649	37,576
12	Metals... ... ... ,,	2,900	2,01,920	2,088	1,88,160	44	2,069	172½	3,371	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,944	2,03,989	2,260-2	1,91,531
13	Cotton Yarns ... No.	852	1,32,210	1,133	1,58,564	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	852	1,32,210	1,133	1,58,564
14	Red Dungry Cloth	19,360	27,164	12,395	17,039-4	7	491	9	768	...	...	...	...	112	224	206	413	...	...	...	...	19,619	27,879	12,610	18,220-4
15	Peacock Feathers	...	125	...	...	164,000	64	18,000	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,64,000	189	18,000	5
16	Factitious Salt ... cwts.	1,402	3,156	1,840	4,140	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,402	3,156	1,840	4,140
17	Other Articles	...	11,08,131	...	9,85,041-7	...	1,96,340	...	1,21,937	...	47,300	...	2,739	...	1,481	...	2,350	...	11,643-8	...	14,471	...	13,61,901-8	...	11,29,338-7-3
	Bullion — Gold ... Tolas	816	19,584	446	9,512	741	16,860	352	8,272	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,557	36,444	798	18,044	
	Bullion — Silver ... ,,	106,177	79,633	1,76,503	1,32,444-12	6,080	4,595	427	306	2,000	1,554	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,14,257	85,782	1,77,020	1,32,750-12
	Cash ... ... Rs.	...	2,46,111	...	6,250	...	41,750	...	32,500	...	...	...	...	...	9,500	...	3,650	...	...	...	...	...	2,97,361	...	62,400
	Total... ...	...	1,78,12,574	...	1,07,66,657-13	...	36,18,865	...	24,58,856	...	2,45,580	...	4,46,814-3	...	2,37,486	...	5,19,112	...	43,286-12	...	16,001	...	5,13,67,861-12	...	1,46,38,321-3-3

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APPENDIX XXXII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

STATEMENT of the IMPORT TRADE of the several Ports for the years 1907-1908 and 1908-1909.

IMPORT.

Number	Names of Articles.		Bhavnagar.				Mahuva.				Port Albert Victor.				Talaja.				Sonrai.				Total.			
			1907-1908.		1908-1909.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.		1907-1908.		1908-1909.	
			Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.
1	Rice	Cwts.	1,03,270	7,49,430	1,97,501	9,97,974	20,097	1,15,799	22,741	1,35,285	5,435-2	31,172-4	4,078	25,991-12	3,179	19,967	2,650	16,775	29-2	174-8	0-3-0	5-4	1,32,011	9,16,542-8	226,979-3	11,76,031-0-0
2	Grain	,,	61,409	3,09,342	7,08,403	3,71,302	14,484	66,149	11,955	63,996	1,797-2	8,242	1,994-1	10,103-1	1,226	7,378	500	2,799	85	253-8	326-2	1,371	79,001-2-0	3,91,264-8	85,718-3	4,50,571-4-0
3	Cloth	Bales.	5,241	15,67,584	4,251	11,08,115	142	80,134	103	30,716	48	18,310-8	22	7,805	1	620	2	300	...	256-0-0	...	...	5,432	16,36,904-8	4,438	11,47,920-0-0
4	Metals	Cwts.	46,573	4,81,753	46,082	5,15,994	6,878	42,991	5,909-2-0	36,413	225-1	1,343-8	200-1	1,394-8	238	1,923	2	99	...	...	18	193	53,934-1	5,28,010-8	51,911-3	5,54,014-8
5	Timber	,,	2,97,493	4,08,112	2,29,895	4,03,414	123	46,999	178	62,043	1,541-2	3,883	...	3,561	9,000	13,542	9,240	14,789	106	159-8	62	4-8	3,20,500-2	4,72,095-8	239,370	4,83,811-8
6	Sugar	,,	1,76,131	17,18,285	1,48,491	13,45,116	17,076	1,51,991	11,091	99,148	3,074-2	27,177	2,757-2	26,798-8	1,029	9,472	1,103	11,378	...	...	...	...	1,97,310-2	19,08,925	163,426-2	14,32,440-8
7	Molasses	,,	14,089	1,01,493	9,135	82,339	10,618	68,107	7,613	55,516	6,842	21,897	2,825	20,633-8	3,928	26,257	3,370	22,929	5-2	44-8	5	38	35,482-2	2,17,798-8	23,008	1,81,455-8
8	Oil, Sweet	,,	16,353	2,84,962	3,364	22,679	11,896	71,622	11,758	83,854	...	...	4,151-3	14,044-8	597	3,958	...	...	53-2-0	55-8	0-1-0	11-8	28,899-2-0	3,60,297-8	19,264	1,20,589-8-0
9	Betelnut	,,	4,796	65,254	10,797	1,96,700	1,745	39,522	2,462	37,997	185-1	3,207	192-2	3,268	...	...	10	168	...	...	...	...	6,726-1	1,07,983	13,463-2	2,08,133-0-0
10	Ghi	,,	78	3,053	29	803	...	...	17	959	12	594	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90	3,647	43	1,755-0-0
11	Ivory	,,	...	...	0-0-5	25	4-1	2,866	3-2-0	2,460	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4-1	2,866	3-2	2,485-0-0
12	Silk...	Bales.	...	...	...	...	1	434	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	434	...	...
13	Wool	Cwts.	23	3,821	55	5,550	1,011	26,221	655	21,988	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,034	30,042	710	27,538-0-0
14	Cocoanuts	No.	14,75,748	84,858	16,74,628	67,525	2,25,504	9,871	4,03,234	15,441	60,498	2,708	87,140	1,502-8	20,820	779	30,220	920	35	2-8	...	...	17,82,605	98,218-8	21,45,322	85,388-8
15	Coir	Cwts.	8,326	58,693	3,624	34,897	2,003	11,863	2,621	16,402	254	1,525	324-1	1,964-4	533	2,978	451	2,704	3-1-0	27	...	...	11,124-1-0	75,986	7,020-1	53,967-4
16	Cotton Yarn	,,	15,207	4,56,995	11,628	4,03,675	734	73,827	541	54,529	239	7,615	70	7,536-8	25	800	2	212	...	...	...	...	18,003	5,39,237	12,241	4,65,972-8
17	Paper	Reams.	19,431	41,009	13,836	40,143	300	361	519	601	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,731	41,370	14,355	40,744
18	Dates	Cwts.	13,539	67,583	16,645	66,659	2,924	15,191	3,869	19,764	...	...	100	550	45	195	...	...	4-1-0	20-8	2-2	14-8	17,512-1	82,989-8	20,616-2	86,387-8
19	Dry Dates	,,	9,816	65,583	11,024	71,702	1,973	12,951	1,012	9,522	147	795	70-3	527	62	391	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,998	79,718	12,106-3	81,753-0-0
20	Groundnuts	,,	5,305	34,178	4,819	30,309	916	5,895	915	4,980	111	646	78-1	407	10	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,342	40,795	5,812-1	34,886-0-0
21	Tobacco	,,	1,469	8,815	2,227	11,196	821	8,422	819	7,120	13	228	...	150	6	19	39	582	...	...	...	...	2,309	17,484	3,103	19,078-0-0
22	Oil-seeds	,,	11,338	94,772	1,21,856	5,78,953	4,585	35,509	5,881	57,548	...	...	511	5,272	...	...	232	2,883	4-2	13	353	1,110	15,927-2	1,30,294	1,28,833	6,46,266-0-0
23	Other Articles		...	26,76,869	...	27,79,417	...	3,92,606	...	4,48,394	...	54,840	...	57,163-14	...	2,09,791	...	1,78,489	...	975-12	...	552-8	...	33,35,081-12	...	34,64,016-6
	Bullion {	Gold ... Tolas.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Silver ... ,,	...	...	1,250	1,075	10,583	8,447	40,871	27,397	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,583	8,447	41,921	28,472-0-0
	Cash	Rs.	...	...	...	...	...	2,64,015	...	24,200	1,500	3,800	...	6,000	...	15,200	...	3,000	...	...	...	...	...	2,83,015	...	33,200-0-0
	Total		...	92,72,444	...	91,05,491	...	15,51,193	...	13,14,827	...	1,87,981	...	1,95,373-2	...	3,13,046	...	2,59,018	...	1,982-4	...	3,300-4	...	1,13,26,616-4	...	1,08,78,009-6

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Abstract of the Trade Returns of all the Ports of the Bhavnagar State.

Exports of the Principal Articles.

Year.	Cotton.		Grain.		Wool.		Bales of Cotton-Yarn.		Other Articles.		Total.		Decrease for 1908-1909.
	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Bales.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	
		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs
1907–1908 ...	6,34,966-2	1,66,43,548-4	3,01,129	11,54,039	11,008	6,00,265	852	1,32,210	...	30,08,232-8	...	2,19,57,881-12	...
1908–1909 ...	29,62,092	77,72,117-12	5,03,361	25,48,675-4	9,589	4,35,878	1,153	1,58,564	...	1,00,93,201-6	...	1,40,26,821-2	79,31,059-10

Imports of the Principal Articles.

Year.	Rice.		Grain.		Cloth.		Metals.		Timber.	Sugar & Molasses.		Oil-Seeds.		Other Articles.	Total.		Decrease for 1908-1909.
	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Bales.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	
		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs		Rs	Rs
1907-1908	1,32,011	9,16,542	79,001	3,91,364-8	5,432	16,56,904-8	53,934-1	5,28,010-8	4,72,095-8	2,32,793	21,24,723-8	1,59,272	1,30,294	48,16,249	...	1,13,26,646-4	...
1908-1909	22,69,793	11,76,031	85,718-3	4,50,571-4	4,438	11,47,026	51,911-3	5,54,044-8	4,83,811-8	18,65,042	16,63,896	1,28,833	6,46,266	46,94,691-2	...	1,08,78,009-6	4,48,636-14

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No. 40 of 1910.

To

HIS HIGHNESS MAHARAJA
RAOL SHRI BHAVSINHJI, K. C. S. I.,
MAHARAJA OF BHAVNAGAR.

YOUR HIGHNESS,

Pursuant to Your Highness' directions I have the honour to submit the following Report of the Administration of Your Highness' State for the year 1909-10.

Dewan Office:
Bhavnagar, 20th May 1910.

PRABHASHANKER D. PATTANI,
Dewan of Bhavnagar.

REPORT

ON THE

ADMINISTRATION

OF THE

BHAVNAGAR STATE

FOR THE YEAR

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CHAPTER I.

GENERAL AND POLITICAL.

1. General.

Area, Population Tribute, Revenue.

The State of Bhavnagar lies at the head and west side of the Gulf of Cambay in the Kathiawad Peninsula, between 21° 18′ and 22° 18′ north latitude and 75° 15′ and 72° 18′ east longitude. Its area is about 2,860 square miles, and its population 4,12,664 souls according to the Census of 1901. It pays an annual tribute of Rs. 1,28,060 to the British Government, Rs. 3,581-8-0 to Baroda, and Rs. 22,858 as *zortalbi* to Junagadh. The gross revenue calculated on an average of the last five years is Rs. 44,54,604 inclusive of Rs. 10,35,260 the income of the Bhavnagar Integral Railway which is the sole property of the State. The gross expenditure calculated on the same basis is Rs. 38,89,994 inclusive of the Railway expenditure of Rs. 4,64,222.

His Highness.

His Highness Maharaja Raol Shri Bhavsinhji, K. C. S. I., was in the best of health throughout the year under report and he continued to give undivided attention to the affairs of the State. The success that has attended the administration of the State is mainly due to the ever watchful care and able guidance of His Highness and the tone of efficiency in the working of the various Departments has been maintained at the same high level as before.

2. Birthday Celebrations.

Celebration of His Majesty's Birth-day.

The birth-day of His Majesty the King-Emperor was as usual celebrated with great *eclat* on the 25th June 1909, the day announced for the purpose. A salute of 31 guns was fired at sunrise, and the Royal Standard was hoisted on the City flag-staff. The Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers and the State Infantry held a parade in the morning, ending in a *feu de joie* which was witnessed by His Highness and his principal officers. The Military were given a day's *batta* and Rs. 500 were ordered to be distributed amongst the poor Christians in the State. In memory of this auspicious occasion Rs. 5,000 were set apart to be spent as usual in improvements in the Victoria Park. The day was observed as a general holiday all over the State.

Celebration of His Highness' Birth-day.

The 10th April 1909 being His Highness' birthday, was observed as a general holiday throughout the State and all the schools and offices were ordered to be closed. About 2,316 books of the total value of Rs. 1,400 were distributed as prizes to school boys and girls. Twenty-one scholarships of the aggregate amount of Rs. 361 per month were granted to students attending

various schools and Colleges. Thirty-five widows of various castes and creeds received a monthly sum of Rs. 3 each as maintenance for life. In memory of this occasion an Urdu School was started at Mahuva. The right of sale with respect to their houses was graciously bestowed upon the residents of 7 villages of the districts of Mahuva, Kundla and Umrala.

The holding of the Darbar, the Parade of the Imperial Service Troops and the Infantry, the distribution of sugar-candy and the various pastimes provided for the amusement of the school boys and girls every year in the Piele Gardens did not come off this year on account of the mourning consequent upon the lamentable death of Miss Violet Clarke.

3. His Highness' Movements.

Visits to Mahals.

His Highness proceeded on the 2nd of May to Mahuva where he stayed in the New Palace till the end of the month. He passed about 12 days at Hathab in the month of June and the same period at Gadhada towards the end of December. He again left for Gadhada in the beginning of February on a shooting excursion with His Highness the Maharaja Saheb of Baria who was on a visit to Bhavnagar as the guest of His Highness.

Visits to other States.

At the kind invitation of Mr. Tudor Owen and the minor Thakor Saheb His Highness paid a brief visit to Palitana in August. In October he went to Gondal to take part in the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the assumption of the administration of the State of Gondal by His Highness the Thakor Saheb. He presided at the prize-distribution of the Monghiba Girls' School where he was pleased to found an annual prize of the value of Rs. 50 in the name of Maharani Shri Nandkunvarba of Gondal to be given away to the successful competitor in moral and religious education. His Highness was in Bombay for a few days in November.

In February His Highness went to Mysore on a tiger shooting excursion. His Highness was greatly pleased with the kind cordiality and sumptuous hospitality extended by His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore. He succeeded in bagging a huge tiger in the Jungles and returned to Bhavnagar on the 3rd of March after a pleasant stay of three weeks.

On his journey to and from Mysore His Highness halted for a day at Bangalore to meet the Hon. Mr. S. M. Fraser, his old *guru* and friend, who always continues to evince a very kindly interest in His Highness' well-being.

Meetings at Rajkot

On 1st November His Highness went to Rajkot to attend a meeting of the Rajkumar College Council. In the same month he was invited by the

Agent to the Governor to attend two other meetings to discuss the question of the future working of the Kathiawad Railways.

His Excellency the Governor's visit to Rajkot.

At the invitation of the Agent to the Governor His Highness again went to Rajkot in January on the occasion of the visit of His Excellency Sir George Clarke, the Governor of Bombay. He took part in the reception of His Excellency at the Station on the 15th, where an address of welcome was presented by the Chiefs of Kathiawad, in the Darbar held by His Excellency on the 17th, in the reception at the Kothi on the 18th, and in the prize distribution at the Rajkumar College on the 19th.

His Highness' present of a portrait of His Majesty the King-Emperor.

An interesting feature of His Excellency's Darbar was the ceremony of unveiling the portrait of His Majesty the King-Emperor, which was presented by His Highness the Maharaja as an humble mark of his loyal devotion to the British Crown. In performing the ceremony His Excellency said :—

"And now I have an interesting little ceremony to perform. His Highness the Maharaja of Bhavnagar soon after the Coronation conceived the idea that the Darbar Hall was incomplete without a portrait of His Majesty. He at once took steps, with the help of Sir W. Lee Warner and Colonel Kennedy, to obtain a replica of the fine portrait by Mr. Luke Fildes, which was, I believe, the first picture of His Majesty as King Emperor to reach India. It did not arrive in time for the Coronation Darbar and it was hoped that His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales might be able to come to Kathiawar and to unveil it. This proved to be impossible and thus it has happened that the honour and the pleasure have fallen to me of completing the graceful act of His Highness the Maharaja of Bhavnagar. I have just quoted His Majesty's graceful and touching words addressed on two important occasions to the Princes and people of India. I need not remind you of His Majesty's message of whole hearted sympathy with the people during the recent visitation of plague. When last I had the hohour of seeing His Majesty, just before I left for India, he spoke to me in terms of the warmest sympathy towards you all and I need not assure you that the welfare and happiness of his Indian subjects lie close to his heart. In unveiling this portrait I will only say that I hope it will always hang in this Darbar Hall in token that the Princes, Chiefs and people of Kathiawar belong to the British Empire, under the guardianship of which their onward progress is assured. Of the unity of that Empire, embracing many races and covering many lands, His Majesty is alike the symbol and the inspiring force."

4. Rajya-kutumb

Her Highness Maharani Shri Nandkunverba.

Her Highness Maharani Shri Nandkunverba was in excellent health. During the year under report she founded two scholarships and a Gold Medal

in the Girl's School at Bhavnagar in memory of the much-lamented Miss Violet Clarke, with whom she had the privilege of being on terms of intimacy, and whose sad and untimely death came upon us all as a shock.

Kunvari Shri Manharkunverba.

Kunvari Shri Manharkunverba's studies made excellent progress during the year under report. In music and embroidery she was the fortunate recipient of gold medals from the exhibitions at Mysore, Lahore and Rangoon.

Kumar Shri Mangalsinhji.

His Highness' relations with his brother Kumar Shri Mangalsinhji continue to be most cordial.

Her Highness Ba Shri Ramba Saheb and the minor Rana Saheb of Porbandar.

Towards the end of September, at the invitation of His Highness, his sister Her Highness Ba Shri Ramba Saheb and the minor Rana Saheb of Porbandar came to Bhavnagar for the customary ceremony of the formal relinquishment of mourning. They stayed here for about 4 months, during which period they received at His Highness' hands that personal care and consideration which their high rank and near relationship deserved.

5 Visits of Other Rulers, &c.

His Highness the Maharaja Saheb of Devgadh Baria.

The States of Bhavnagar and Devgadh Baria are connected by family ties, and last year's report made mention of the very pleasant and enjoyable visit which their Highnesses and the Kunvari Saheb paid to Piplod at the kind invitation of His Highness Maharaja Ranjitsinhji. The latter, in his turn, was pleased to accept the invitation of His Highness the Maharaja Saheb to visit Bhavnagar during the year under report. His Highness with his brother arrived on 30th January, accompanied by their respective Ranis, and other members of the family. The Bhavnagar Station was tastefully decorated for the occasion, and as His Highness Maharaja Ranjitsinhji stepped out of the Saloon which had been specially placed at his disposal, a Guard-of-Honour of the Bhavnagar Infantry presented arms, the Band playing a suitable tune, and the Battery firing a salute of 11 guns. The distinguished visitor was most cordially greeted by His Highness and the principal officers and leading citizens of the town, and after the usual presentation of garlands and the necessary introductions, he was conveyed in a carriage-and-four with postillions to Nakubag, his appointed residence, under an escort of the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers. The route throughout was decorated with flags and buntings, and triumphal arches were erected at the station and the gate of Nakubag, which latter was itself gaily decorated for the occasion. During his stay the honoured guest and his party were taken out buck-shooting to Gadhda, and cheeta-hunt and hawking were also arranged. An interesting ceremony, that of opening the new Bungalow in Nandkunverbag, was very gracefully performed by the distinguished visitor at the request of Her Highness Maharani Shri Nandkunverba,

and the felicitous speech with which he went through the function evidences the unbroken continuance of the family ties between the two Houses. A garden-party at Motibag, the presentation of the usual *poshaks* to the honoured guests and a Banquet in the Shamiana at the Albert Victor Square, followed by fire-works on the Gangajalia Talao, brought to a close the visit of the Maharaja who left on the 6th February, amidst ceremonies similar to those on arrival.

The Kumars of the Rajkumar College.

His Highness has always evinced a keen interest in the Rajkumar College and its Kumars. At his invitation, the whole of the Kumars, 45 in all, came to Bhavnagar early in February, for a day's holiday, in charge of Mr. Mayne, the energetic principal of the College. They were conveyed from Rajkot to Bhavnagar and back in a special train arranged by His Highness. At Bhavnagar they were located in a huge camp put up near Panwadi where all arrangements were made for their comfort and convenience. In the morning they were taken out for hawking, and a banquet was given in the evening in the spacious Shamiana in the Albert Victor Square. Their Highnesses the Raj Saheb of Wankaner and the Thakor Saheb of Rajkot, and Yuvraj Kumar Shri Bhojrajji of Gondal in company with his amiable consort also graced the occasion with their presence, and added considerably to the pleasure. This was a unique event in the history of the Rajkumar College, for on no previous occasion have all the Kumars in a body been taken for an outing, which in this instance they thoroughly enjoyed.

6. Visit of His Excellency the Governor of Bombay.

Reception.

During the year under report Bhavnagar had the privilege of a visit from His Excellency Sir George Clarke, G. C. M. G., G. C. I. E., Governor of Bombay. His Excellency who was accompanied by Mr. Hill, the Agent to the Governor, Kathiawar, Mr. C. C. Watson, his Private Secretary, Captain J. G. Greig, the Military Secretary, Captains E. G. Drummond and C. T. Davis, his Aides-de-Camp, and Captain T. C. Lucas, his Surgeon, arrived by a special train in the morning of the 27th January.

The station premises were tastefully decorated for the purpose, and as His Excellency stepped out of his Saloon, a Guard-of-Honour of the Bhavnagar Infantry presented arms, the Band playing the *National Anthem* and the Battery firing a salute of 17 guns. His Excellency was most cordially greeted by His Highness, his principal officers and the officers of the Railway, and was conveyed into the Darbar Hall at the Station where the usual presentation of garlands and the necessary introductions were made. A procession was then formed according to a programme previously arranged, His Excellency and His Highness riding in a carriage-and-four with postillions. The

procession marched along the route flagged out and decorated, on to Panwadi, the appointed residence of His Excellency during his stay. On the way His Excellency was garlanded by the Nagarseth and some of the leading citizens near their respective houses. Huge triumphal arches were erected at the Station and at Panwadi, which latter was gaily decorated for the occasion.

Exchange of Formal Visits.

Between 11-30 A. M and 12 noon there took place the customary exchange of formal visits between His Highness and His Excellency under the usual ceremonies.

Presentation of the Sanad of "Maharaja."

In the afternoon His Excellency held a Darbar in a huge Shamiana in the Albert Victor Square, for the presentation of a *Kharita* with a *Sanad* conferring on His Highness the title of "Maharaja". There was a large attendance including ladies, Bhayats, Political and Railway officers, retired and present officers of the State, and the leading gentlemen and merchants of the town.

His Highness Sir Bhavsinhji, accompanied by the Political Agent, Gohelwad Prant, arrived at 12-55 P. M., under the usual salute and honours, and awaited the arrival of His Excellency in a tent outside the Shamiana. His Excellency accompanied by the Agent to the Governor arrived at 1 P. M. under his proper salute and honours, and was received by His Highness as he alighted from his carriage. A procession was then formed according to a programme previously arranged, and as it proceeded in the Shamiana towards the *Dais* the Band played the *National Anthem*, and all present rose from their seats and remained standing until His Excellency and His Highness had taken their seats. The Political Secretary (the Private Secretary acting in the absence of that Officer) then asked His Excellency's permission to open the ceremony, and conducted His Highness from his seat to His Excellency, where the *Kharita* with the *Sanad* were delivered to His Highness. His Highness having resumed his seat His Excellency addressed the assembly as follows :—

"Your ancestors entered Kathiawad more than 700 years ago and after many vicissitudes the city of Bhavnagar was founded by Thakor Bhavsinhji, whose grandson Thakor Vakhatsinhji raised the State to a high position in the Province. In your reign of nearly 14 years you have worked in all ways for the good of your people. Under your enlightened rule their prosperity has steadily advanced. You have realised the advantages of education and you have established schools which reflect honour on your administration. In this useful work Her Highness the Maharani has ably seconded your efforts. I have spoken elsewhere of your provision of Imperial Service Troops as a valuable and a valued contribution to the defence of India. In the name of His Majesty the King-Emperor I present you with the Sanad of the title of "Maharaja" which His Majesty has conferred upon you as a recognition of

your wise and successful rule, and of your devoted loyalty to the British Throne. I tender to Your Highness my warm congratulations upon this distinguished mark of His Majesty's favour. I heartily wish you long life and health to enjoy the honour conferred upon you and I am sure that it will be a deep source of permanent satisfaction to you to feel that you have done so much to promote the happiness and the welfare of your people."

His Highness the Maharaja then made the following reply :—

"I am deeply grateful to the Government of His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor of India, for the high distinction conferred upon me, and I greatly appreciate, Your Excellency, the kindness permeating the speech which accompanied the delivery to me of the *Kharita* and *Sanad*.

The title of Maharajah of Bhavnagar was first worn by my dear father, to whose long rule we find so many memorials in the State. I am proud to know that I also have not been thought unworthy of the distinction which he graced ; I am still prouder in the thought that this distinction is yet further evidence of the determination of Government to maintain intact the status and privileges of the Chiefs of Kathiawar, on which they naturally set great store, and to ensure that neither actually nor relatively shall they suffer any diminution.

Your Excellency, I am greatly touched by your generous reference to myself and to the administration of my State. Peace and order are absolutely essential to social progress. The advent of the British Government brought to distracted Kathiawar freedom from foreign aggression, freedom from internal anarchy : it afforded to the States opportunities for working out their own salvation, untrammelled by harassing external interruptions. It is to the advent of that Government, then, that the advance of this Province in prosperity and contentment is primarily due : under the protection of that Government the States have been enabled to bring their administration into line with the needs of the age. It is, therefore, singularly appropriate that Government should place their seal upon the changes which have fructified under their ægis by the bestowal of honours such as that of which I am the proud recipient to-day.

Your Excellency, may I say that I am particularly happy in that I receive the insignia of this honour from your hands ? In you I recognise a wise and valued friend. The pleasure in this ceremony which you have expressed cannot possibly surpass mine in receiving from you the honour which it has pleased His Majesty's Government to bestow upon me. I shall be glad if Your Excellency will convey to His Majesty the King-Emperor my gratitude for this gracious recognition of the fruits of my rule, the assurance of my

unquenchable attachment to the British Government, and the profession of my deep personal loyalty and reverence for his Throne and Person."

After the distribution of *Attar* and *Pan* His Excellency with His Highness left in the same order as on entering and under their respective honours.

Sight-seeing.

In the evening the distinguished guest was taken for a drive to the principal places of interest in the city including the Bhavnagar Paddock, the Gourishankar Lake, the Victoria Park, the Takhtsinhji Hospital, the Takhteshwar Mahadev and the Peile Gardens.

Kunvari Saheb's music &c.

In the course of this motor drive His Excellency at the invitation of Her Highness the Maharani very graciously condescended to visit the Palace, where tea was served by Kunvari Shri Manharkunverba ; and His Excellency spent a pleasant half-hour listening to the Kunvari Saheb's music on the *Sitar* and examining some exceedingly pretty specimens of embroidery and other fancy work, done by the Kunvari Saheb.

The inauguration of the Sihor-Palitana Railway.

Next morning His Excellency, accompanied by His Highness journeyed by special train to Sihor, to perform the ceremony of turning the first sod of the Sihor-Palitana Railway, a link about 18 miles long, which His Highness is constructing by arrangement with the able and energetic Administrator of Palitana. A large Shamiana was erected for the purpose, and the site was suitably decorated. There was a large attendance of ladies and gentlemen. On the arrival of the special His Excellency was received with the usual honours, and after all were seated His Highness requested His Excellency to perform the day's ceremony in the following words :—

"The complicated and onerous task of governing a country demands, in these progressive days, that the Ruler should not only endeavour to supply as far as possible the growing wants of his people, but that he should march in advance of the times. Freedom from external aggression and security from internal disorder—two of the most valuable boons conferred upon India by the British Government—have given a great stimulus to the social and economic development of India. In response to the demand for rapid and cheap means of communication, the country has been covered with an ever-expanding network of railways. The Province of Kathiawar has participated in these movements, the outward signs of a progressive body politic, in no ordinary degree. Trade and commerce have increased; and the habit of travel has seized all sections of the community. Nor has Kathiawar lagged behind other parts of the country in the provision of those means of rapid transit which alone can break down the isolating barriers opposing social progress and economic growth.

Beginning with the opening of the Bhavnagar Railway in 1880, Railway construction has proceeded apace in Kathiawar, until the Province is well furnished with main lines with an aggregate of more than four hundred miles. It now stands in urgent need of Branch and feeder lines, and Your Excellency will be glad to learn that several projects are either in course of construction or under consideration. The Sihor-Palitana line is one of the most important of these. Palitana is the capital of an important and fertile State and is a great centre of Hindu pilgrimage. Its separation from the Kathiawar Railway system by eighteen miles of road attracted the attention of Lord Reay as long ago as 1886. Several schemes for the construction of the necessary link were mooted, but fell to the ground; and it was reserved for the public spirit, co-operation and enterprise of Mr. Tudor Owen, the energetic Administrator of Palitana, to give practical shape to the project. He arrived at an understanding with my State for the construction of the long-delayed line which we are to commence to-day, and I wish to take this opportunity of publicly thanking him for his liberal co-operation in pushing through the scheme.

Your Excellency, in the full confidence that the new line will add to the prosperity of Palitana, and indirectly of the Province of Kathiawar, besides facilitating the task of the thousands of pilgrims who twice a year flock to the sacred temples on Satrunjya Hill, I ask you to do me the favour of inaugurating the construction of the line by turning the first sod."

His Excellency the Governor then went to a canopy close by, where he was pleased to perform the ceremony of turning the first sod of the new Railway. The tools used were a small pick and shovel and a little basket, all of silver, which were placed in a suitable silver box and presented to His Excellency. In performing the ceremony His Excellency said that he had great pleasure in doing so, and trusted that His Highness would long be spared to see the new line fulfil all his expectations in the development of the area served by it.

Returning to the Shamiana His Excellency spoke as follows :—

"In less than a week I have had the great pleasure of inaugurating no less than three railway schemes, all of which will add to the prosperity of Kathiawar in the near future. That is a remarkable fact, and a strong testimony to the enterprise and to the wisdom of the Princes and Chiefs of this important Province. As has been well said by Your Highness the duties pertaining to all Governments in these days tend to become more numerous and more complex. Mechanical science has opened out innumerable avenues to commercial and economical success, and in India for the most part the duty of utilizing those avenues for the benefit of the people must fall upon the Government,

whether in Native States or in British India. The peace and security which the British rule has so long maintained offer great opportunities for the development of natural resources, and the rulers of Kathiawar have been quick to realize these opportunities and to turn them to the best possible account for the good of their people. I have been greatly struck by the visible signs of progress which are everywhere to be seen, and there can be few parts of India which are advancing so steadily as this fortunate Province.

There can be no doubt that railways have played a great part in the general advancement of India. They have enabled an external trade of the utmost value to be built up—a trade infinitely exceeding anything that was possible in pre-British days ; they have promoted internal development which enables the large access of population to be supported ; they have provided powers for dealing with famine which were formerly non-existent, and whereas in ancient days whole districts were depopulated by scarcity, now food can always reach the people, and the only needs are good organization and timely action to save tens of thousands of lives. The educative effect of railways is in increasing the knowledge of the people, quickening their intelligence and assisting the fusion which must be brought about if ever India is to attain to nationhood, I need not comment, the effect is everywhere visible in many forms.

In Kathiawar the extensive development of railways is remarkable as being brought about by Indian capital and initiated and administered by Indian Princes. I do not know of any part of India where happy conditions exist quite to the same extent. To Bhavnagar belongs the honour of having been the pioneer State, and I am glad to hear that there is to be no lagging in the race, and that other projects than that which we are here to inaugurate are under consideration.

The Sihor-Palitana line will supply a long recognized need by coupling the State of Palitana with the general system of Kathiawar. The effect will be not only to serve a considerable fertile area with corresponding benefit to the cultivators but to facilitate access to an important centre of Hindu pilgrimage. The Jain community will benefit largely, and an impetus will be given to the cotton-growers of Palitana. This valuable branch line could not have been carried out without co-operation between the Bhavnagar and Palitana States, and I am very glad to know that Your Highness appreciates the assistance rendered by the able Administrator of Palitana in bringing the negotiations to so satisfactory a conclusion as to permit the project to assume a practical shape to-day. Your Highness, I warmly congratulate you upon your enterprise. There is nothing quite so satisfactory as to see the practical beginning of a project on which one has set one's heart, and Your Highness now has that great

satisfaction. I will only add that I cordially wish success to the Sihor-Palitana line, of the beneficial results of which in various ways there can be no doubt."

After refreshments had been served, the party returned to Bhavnagar in a special train under the same ceremonies as on arrival.

At 4 p. m. on the same day His Excellency with His Highness was pleased to witness the Regimental Sports of the Imperial Service Troops in which some fine horsemanship was displayed, the tent-pegging in Indian file, and a ball-and-bucket race being particularly well done, and he was pleased to express great satisfaction at the efficiency and the high bearing of the troops.

At 8 p. m. the illustrious guest was entertained at a banquet which was held in a spacious Shamiana specially erected in the Albert Victor Square. The shamiana was tastefully furnished and artistically decorated and was illumined with electric light. Covers were laid for 43 persons, among those invited being Mr. Hill, His Excellency's Staff, Mr. and Mrs. Rendall, Mr. and Mrs. Tudor Owen, Mr. and Mrs. Luck, the other Political officers and a few officers and gentlemen of the town.

After dinner was over His Highness in proposing the Royal toast said :—

"I have much pleasure in proposing a toast that is dear to all our hearts —the Health of His Majesty the King-Emperor. Under the sway of the Royal House of England, this vast country has made great strides in civilization, in social progress, and in material wealth. We rejoice to know that the ardent interest in the welfare of its Princes and People which King Edward inherited from his illustrious Mother remains unabated. In the person of the Sovereign we admire one whose statesmanlike abilities have given him the foremost place in the counsels of Europe, and whose personal attributes command our gratitude and affection. Gratitude, admiration, and affection make this toast one which is received throughout the length and breadth of this land with reverence and respect. The Bhavnagar House yields to none in its loyalty and devotion to His Majesty's Throne and Person : in expression of these fast-rooted sentiments I ask you to join me in pledging His Majesty the King-Emperor, Long May He Reign."

The next toast given was that of Her Majesty the Queen, the Prince and Princess of Wales, and the rest of the Royal family, which His Highness did in these words :—

"I have another toast to propose—one in mutual sequence and closely allied to that of His Majesty the King-Emperor. It is the Health of Her Majesty Queen Alexandra, the Prince and Princess of Wales, and the other

Members of the Royal Family. Her Majesty stands to her eastern subjects as the ideal of Imperial Womanhood, whilst her catholic sympathies and benevolence have made her name beloved and honoured in every household in the British Empire. During their visit to India the Prince and Princess of Wales won all hearts by their sympathy and innate courtesy, and we are happy in the knowledge that the succession to the Throne will devolve upon one who so completely embodies the splendid traditions of Victoria the Good."

His Highness then proposed the health of the honoured guest of the evening in doing which he spoke as follows :—

" You will all, I know, join heartily with me in responding to my next toast—the health and happiness of His Excellency Sir George Clarke, my illustrious and honoured guest, whom I am proud to welcome to Bhavnagar to-day.

Your Excellency, I have looked forward to this day with the liveliest anticipation, and I am indeed grateful to you for having accepted the invitation to visit my capital in the midst of those multifarious duties which crowd upon the head of this Presidency. Your Excellency, you came amongst us no stranger. We all knew you as a great servant of the Crown, the trusted adviser of His Majesty and of his Government, and as one who had broadened his knowledge by service in one of the Dominions beyond the seas. We looked forward with confidence to profiting richly from your remarkable talents and unique experience of affairs. We have seen with admiration and appreciation these qualities bent to the complex task of the administration of a great Province at a time of stress and difficulty, and we, in common with all parts of Western India, have benefited from your noble devotion to duty. But in this connection one other acknowledgment needs to be made. Your Excellency has brought to the discharge of the duties of your high office not only abilities of the highest order, but the priceless gift of insight and appreciation of everybody's point of view, and therefore we confidently anticipate that the completion of your Governorship, which, we trust, will be for the full allotted period, will be prolific of lasting good to the Province of Bombay.

Your Excellency, this is a theme which tempts me to greater length than is permissible in an after dinner speech. But even with the desire to be brief, and in your presence, I cannot omit reference to your constant endeavours to ameliorate the condition of the people, and to direct popular energies and popular ambitions into useful and judicious channels. I would especially refer to your efforts to deepen and strengthen our system of education, and to establish science training upon a sure footing, so that India, which has now entered the comity of nations, may be fitted to take her right place amongst

the productive countries of the world. Our gratitude for these services is intensified by the knowledge that they have been pursued under a combination of the most painful afflictions, which would have stunned a lesser man. I would ask you to believe me that we are not insensible of the sacrifices which you have made on our behalf.

Your Excellency's desire personally to acquaint yourself with the wants, feelings and sentiments of the country has particular application to your relations with the Ruling Chiefs of the Presidency, several of whom have had the honour of being your guests at Government House. The generous and cordial hospitality, the almost scrupulous oriental care for my comfort and convenience during my pleasant visit to Ganeshkhind in 1908, made a deep impression upon me, and I shall always cherish the memory of the happy days spent in the company of Your Excellency. I, and I am sure that I am speaking for all my brother Chiefs, recognise in you a true, wise and firm friend, who will never permit any interference with their inherited rights and cherished privileges. And may I also say for myself that I am filled with gratitude at the ceremony which you performed yesterday? Your Excellency's kindly reference to my Rani has deeply touched her, and whatever oriental instincts may say about a husband carrying a wife's message, it gives me great pleasure to express her most cordial thanks for your kind thought. The day will always be memorable to me, and I am profoundly grateful to His Majesty for having conferred upon me the title of MAHARAJAH.

There is yet another cause of gratitude to me and to my people. Government have been pleased to bestow upon my Dewan, Mr. Prabhashanker D. Pattani, the Companionship of the Order of the Indian Empire. None know, except myself, how loyally and with what entire devotion Mr. Pattani has served me, and in me the State of Bhavnagar. I take a pride in this honour scarcely less than that of Mr. Pattani, for I feel that in honouring my Dewan Government have set the seal of their approval on the administration of my State. These several marks of Royal favour I regard as a generous appreciation of my humble but sincere endeavours to keep abreast of the times in the governance of my people, and a recognition of the affectionate and loyal devotion of my House to His Majesty's Throne and Person. Indeed these sentiments are the priceless heirlooms of the State of Bhavnagar. They came to me in unbroken succession from my ancestors, whose friendly intercourse with the Paramount Power—and this the Rulers of Bhavnagar always remember with pardonable pride—dates back to a period long anterior to the time when the British Government first set foot on the soil of Kathiawar. It is my passionate desire to bequeath them to my successors, not only unimpaired, but strengthened since they passed into my possession.

And here let me turn aside for a moment to a question which is engaging the attention of all thoughtful men in the country. The tendency towards acts of anarchy and violence which possesses the minds of some misguided Indian youths and their abettors is an evil of the first magnitude, threatening the very bases of society and imperilling the peaceful progress of this country. Until recently we were in the belief that the canker of lawlessness and crime had not penetrated this Presidency, but the attempt on the life of His Excellency the Viceroy at Ahmedabad, followed by the cold-blooded and cruel murder of one of the ablest, kindest, and most sympathetic officers of the Service, came upon us as a painful and shocking surprise. I feel sure that the number of persons capable of these crimes is few, and the guilty persons are insane, for no man in the full possession of his senses can believe that violence and crime will do the least good to this, or any other country. But what pains us to recognize is the strong suspicion that behind the demented youth who fires the fatal shot are older and abler brains both in India and abroad. Hitherto this hateful poison has failed to penetrate the Native States, where the people are given to peaceful and profitable pursuits. Nevertheless I take this opportunity of expressing my detestation and abhorrence of the seditious propaganda and its odious fruits. The measures which Government may take to suppress it will be supported by all true Indians, who will rejoice in the eradication of an evil un-Indian in its origin, baleful in its fruits.

Let me now pass to a happier theme, and express my profound satisfaction at the frank and statesmanlike declaration by His Excellency the Viceroy of the policy of non-interference which will govern the relations between the Paramount Power and the Native States. Out of nearly a century of discussion and experiment the Government of India have arrived at a determination, which cements the partnership between the Native States and the Raj, removes possible causes of friction, and liberally construed as we know it is by Your Excellency's Government, insures us the stability of our institutions and peaceful and harmonious progress. This declaration comes as a fitting sequel to the constitutional reforms recently inaugurated in India: together they open out a splendid prospect of social, material and economic advancement under the Flag which has made India the great Empire she is to-day.

Your Excellency, let me once again say how proud and glad I am in your presence in my capital. I trust that your visit will prove agreeable; and that you may be given health and strength to carry to its normal termination a Governorship which has already proved of incalculable advantage to the Presidency of Bombay.

Mr. Hill, Ladies and Gentlemen, I ask you to join with me in pledging my honoured guest His Excellency the Governor Sir George Clarke."

After the toast had been enthusiastically responded to, His Excellency rose to reply amidst loud cheers. He spoke to the following effect :—

"I find it particularly difficult to reply to the toast of my health, because Your Highness has referred to me in terms so kind, so sympathetic and so appreciative that I feel somewhat overwhelmed. I came to India with the advantage of experiences so wide and varied as have fallen to the lot of few men, but with the disadvantage of my years and of knowing India previously from books alone.

I well knew that the task before me could not be easy, but I have found that some of the mountains I expected to climb have proved to be only mole-hills, and on the other hand that there have been difficulties in directions which I did not anticipate. One strong conviction I brought with me and that was that everywhere, but in India especially, qualities of heart count for more than those of head, and that if I could but win the confidence of the people and make them feel that I had no thought but for their interest, I might be able to accomplish a little good, or at least to sow some few seeds which might bear fruit in after years. Your Highness tells me that I have succeeded in winning the confidence of the Chiefs and the people of the Presidency, and if it be so I am unfeignedly thankful, and your kindly words are the greatest encouragement I could have. I fear, however, that I have accomplished little, not half of what I hoped for, but one must have infinite patience, and in the time that I may remain I can only strive most earnestly to give my best in the discharge of my many responsibilities. The domestic help and support on which I counted have been taken from me, but I have had the consolation of the wonderful sympathy of the warm-hearted people of India which enabled me to remain at my post.

Your Highness has alluded to the early relations of your ancestors with the British Government and it is interesting to recall the fact that as far back as 1759 British support was asked for as a protection against Cambay, and that Bhavnagar co-operated with us for the suppression of the piracy which was disastrous to a trade that even in the late 17th century was valuable and important. In the changed conditions of to-day the practical co-operation of Bhavnagar in the general defence of India is still a happy feature in our relations, and the very smart and efficient squadron of Imperial Service Lancers, which Your Highness maintains, is a proof of your recognition of the advantages that have been conferred upon India by the Raj, as the consolidating force of order and the dispenser of the blessings of peace. The history of Your Highness' family is one of unbroken loyalty, and I know that the sentiments which you have expressed this evening spring from the heart and will be upheld untarnished by your successors in years to come.

It was a great pleasure to me to congratulate you upon the honoured title conferred upon you by His Majesty the King-Emperor in well merited recognition of your devotion to the Throne, and of your consistent efforts to secure the happiness and advancement of your people. I am most fortunate in being able to give a personal touch to your new honours in yesterday's ceremony. May Your Highness long be spared as an inspiring influence for good in your State and a shining example of whole hearted loyalty. As Your Highness has said, none except yourself can fully understand the great services which Mr. Pattani has rendered, but I have had personal opportunities of ascertaining his conspicuous ability, his clear judgment and his devotion to Your Highness and to the State of Bhavnagar. The richly deserved honour which has been bestowed upon him and which I hope he will long live to wear will, I trust, be regarded as an encouragement by all who are engaged in the difficult task of administration in the States of Kathiawar.

I have already spoken more than once during my tour on the anarchical propaganda which appears to have taken hold of far too many minds in India. The youths who have been seduced into foul crimes are, as Your Highness justly says, moved by "older and abler brains" both in India and abroad. For these misguided youths we can only feel pity, but it is our plain duty to stop the flow of poisonous teaching at its sources, and I appeal to all true men in the Presidency—all to whom the fair repute of their country and of their religion is dear, all, who desire the peace and progress of India—to co-operate actively with us by discouraging the preaching of the doctrine of hate and by supporting such measures as are now necessary.

The leading Princes and Chiefs of India who are the natural leaders of the people have spoken out in plain terms and have expressed their determination to exclude sedition from their territories and to co-operate with us in maintaining the foundation of order. I hope that equal frankness will be forthcoming in other quarters and that the idea that the hand of Government is weakening will be dismissed as baseless. Then assuredly the present troubles will cease and futile demands for what at present is wholly impossible will be submerged in united efforts to promote the general good of the people.

Your Highness, I know of nothing in the world that corresponds to the relation of the Princes and Chiefs of India to the British Government. There may have been in the past a tendency to force the pace too much with the result of over interference with the internal affairs of the Native States. If so that tendency has certainly passed away and our desire is only to support, to advise when necessary, and to be true friends in need in the many vicissitudes of life. Cases may sometimes occur in which more than this may be necessary

for a time, but such cases will be increasingly rare and they will always be dealt with so ably with regard to the interests of the people and the stability of the State. We desire to see consolidation of the power of Native Rulers within their territory and to maintain the permanence of their ancient dynasties, I am certain that all the Princes and Chiefs understand our motives as does Your Highness and that the happy relations now prevailing will conduce to the social, material and economic advancement of India under the flag of England.

Your Highness, my tour in Kathiawar will be one of the most delightful memories of my life. I have been learning, as the Americans say, all the time; and the knowledge of local conditions and needs will be of the utmost value during what may remain of my stay in India. I have been interested in seeing specimens of local handiwork of various kinds and I should like to add that I have seen nothing to equal the art work of your accomplished daughter whose example must be a great encouragement to others. I believe firmly on the advantages of personal contact and I feel that during this fascinating tour I have cemented previous friendships and made many new ones. I and all your guests present this evening will never forget that kindly and thoughtful hospitality which you have richly showered upon us. I warmly thank you for the too flattering, though to me most encouraging and inspiring terms in which you have proposed my health ; and I am grateful to you all, ladies and gentlemen, for your cordial acceptance of the toast. I wish all that is best to Your Highness and to Her Highness who has nobly seconded your efforts for the public good and continued progress and prosperity to Bhavnagar under a wise and beneficent rule. Ladies and gentlemen, I give you the health of His Highness, the Maharaja of Bhavnagar."

The toast was drunk with great enthusiasm, and His Highness made a brief reply of thanks. He said :—

" Your Excellency, I thank you most sincerely for the kind manner in which you have proposed my health, and you, Ladies and Gentlemen, for the cordial way in which you have greeted it. I deeply value the words of appreciation which have fallen from Your Excellency, and I regard it as my great good fortune that I should have been deemed worthy of them by the representative of His Imperial Majesty in the Bombay Presidency. Once more, Your Excellency, I thank you for your generous references to myself, and you, Ladies and Gentlemen, for so kindly responding to them."

The party then proceeded to the Gangajalia Tank, close by, to witness the fireworks which were admired by all. Afterwards His Excellency and his staff left for the station for departure by the special train where His Highness

and the principal officers of the State were present. The ceremonies which were gone through on His Excellency's arrival were repeated on his departure.

7. Congratulations to His Highness.

Presentation of an Address.

As a fitting sequal to the formal delivery to His Highness of the *kharita* and *sanad* conferring upon him the title of "Maharaja," movements were set on foot on the part of the several communities residing within His Highness' territories, the Mahajans of the outlying districts, and other public bodies, for the presentation to His Highness of several addresses of congratulation. But His Highness would only have one united expression of his *raiyat's* feelings, and therefore all communities and public bodies decided to present him with one combined address, which event came off on 29th January. On that day there assembled in the spacious Shamiana in Victor Square, at the invitation of the *mahajan* of Bhavnagar, a large gathering of ladies and gentlemen, including the present and retired officers of the State, and leading gentlemen of all castes, creeds and communities. On arrival His Highness was loudly cheered. The Nagarsheth Mr. Parbhudas having read the address, Mr. Vithaldas Samaldas, the ex-Dewan, presented the same to His Highness enclosed in a beautiful silver casket of local workmanship. It was replete with expressions of fervent loyalty and unflinching devotion to the Ruler of the State and of warm gratitude for the innumerable acts of charity and benevolence that have distinguished the liberal policy and just and far-sighted administration of His Highness. The Mahajans among other things made special mention of His Highness' liberal policy in times of famine, plague and fire, and in encouragement given to Agricultural and Industrial Arts. The enthusiasm displayed when presenting the address was commensurate with the sincerity and affection with which the distinguished rulers of this State have been held by the subjects, and which constitute the unalienable and proud privilege of a genuine and real paternal government. Telegrams and deputations were received from the districts expressing their heart-felt congratulations to His Highness on this auspicious occasion and fully sympathising with the objects of the meeting.

His Highness' reply.

His Highness' reply which was received with loud applause was fraught with sentiments of that paternal love with which he has always looked upon his subjects. While receiving the address His Highness, who was visibly touched, acknowledged, with thanks and appreciation, in a few appropriate words, his sense of gratitude to them all. After expressing his gratitude to His Majesty the King-Emperor for conferring upon him the title of Maharaja and rare pleasure to have received the distinction at the hands of his valued friend, the popular and sympathetic Governor, he said that he rejoiced

because his people looked upon his good fortune as the eminence of the State and because acts of duty on the part of a ruler were regarded by them as kindnesses. He further said that the various measures adopted by the State from time to time in visitations of famine, plague and fire were in his opinion no more than what a ruler was bound to adopt, and that the success witnessed could only be achieved by the valuable co-operation of the people with the State.

Founding of Science. Scholarships and Medal.

With reference to the developement of Agricultural and Industrial Arts His Highness said that those being the largest factors in the prosperity of the country, it was the bounden duty of every Ruler to encourage and foster them by all the means at his command. And by way of a practical illustration of this doctrine he took this opportunity to announce his intention of establishing two scholarships of Rs. 25 each, in addition to those given in other branches of education, for the benefit of Bhavnagar subjects joining the proposed Science College about to be established at Bombay in consequence of the noble efforts of His Excellency Sir George Clarke. And as an humble momento of His Excellency's recent visit to Bhavnagar, His Highness also declared his desire to found a Gold Medal in that College, to be named after His Excellency.

In conclusion His Highness again thanked his people, and gave assurances of his willingness and readiness at all times to strive his utmost for the spread of education, the developement of science and industry, and the fulfilment of all their legitimate aspirations.

After the recital of Sanskrit and Gujarati verses specially composed for the occasion, the assembly broke up with the distribution of flowers.

Garden-party.

Another festivity in connection with this auspicious occasion was a Garden Party given to His Highness in the Motibag Gardens by the President and the Members of the Bhavsinhji Club. A special feature of the party was that the Kumars of the Rajkumar College who were invited by His Highness were also present on the occasion. The Club premises were illumined with Kitson and Ratnagar lamps. Among the various entertainments provided for the guests were gymnastic feats and magic performances. After partaking of light refreshments the party broke up at a late hour.

8. The personnel of the Administration.

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There was no remarkable change in the personnel except that Mr. Bhanushanker Bhawanishanker, the Customs Commissioner, was transferred to the Judicial Department, the Customs Department being temporarily placed under the charge of the Rajyaprakarni Court Officer Mr. Bhupatrai Vithaldas,

Bestowal of C. I. E. upon the Dewan.

A noteworthy event regarding the principal member of the State ministry that occurred during the year under report was the gracious bestowal upon His Highness' Dewan by the British Government of the high distinction of a Companionship of the Indian Empire, which event was received by His Highness and the Officers and subjects of the State with a sense of great satisfaction and sincere gratefulness.

Appendix I gives particulars as to the principal officers of the State.

CHAPTER II.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE LAND.

1. Revenue Collection.

Revenue year.

The Revenue year begins with 1st November and ends with 31st October (Divali), and collections of revenue are made by two instalments of 40 and 60 per cent respectively about the months of December and April, in all the Districts except Mahuva, Talaja, and Daskrohi where there are three instalments of 40, 40 and 20 per cent, falling due in December, April and June. Thus all figures relating to revenue throughout this report cover the year ending with 31st October 1909. The agricultural facts which they represent are therefore those connected with the rainfall of the Samvat year 1964 (1908 A. D.) rather than those of the monsoon of 1965 (1909 A. D.) which latter will find their place in the ensuing report.

Rainfall and general prospects.

As mentioned in the last year's report, the rainfall of Samvat 1964, was erratic both in quantity and distribution. June began with a very meagre prospect, the maximum fall being 5·40 inches at Talaja and the minimum being ·10 at Mahuva. Except in Talaja and Botad, there were a few cents here and there in other Mahals. In July the monsoon began in right earnest, the maximum fall registered being 14·43 at Bhavnagar and the minimum ·25 at Mahuva. It was quite sufficient to start sowing operations in all the Mahals except Mahuva. August gave us a copious fall but it was unequally distributed, and being unaccompanied by the necessary intervening breaks, it interfered with weeding operations. The September rains came alright in a few mahals, but in others they were not quite sufficient. The total average rainfall for all the districts was 19·81, which, if equally distributed, would have quite sufficed to give us a prosperous season, but under the conditions described above the prospects were considerably marred towards the close of the monsoon, though they reached nearer the normal than in the preceding year, and in some villages the crops turned out to be even more than 16 annas. Thus though the general outlook was fairly bright, His Highness perceived that as his ryots were only just emerging out of an indifferent year, and that the crop-prospects in the several destricts and villages were anything but uniform, there was still need for caution in the matter of revenue collection. He therefore ordered a prompt inquiry into the actual crop-prospects of the several parts of his territories, with the result that a suspension of the current year's revenue demand ranging between 1 anna and 10 annas was made in 163 villages, while 321 villages were directed to pay the full assessment for the year, all past years' arrears being postponed. It was only in the case of 49 villages,

where the crop-outturn was found to be exceptionally good, that a portion of past arrears, varying between 12 and 25 per cent of the assessment, was ordered to be collected, in addition to the current year's demand.

Revenue Collection.

The revenue collected on these principles during the year under report, was Rs. 32,53,945 out of the total demand of Rs. 35,62,319, exclusive of Railway, Rs. 3,08,374 being the amount ordered to be suspended. Appendix **XXVI** gives the details of these figures as compared with those of Samvat 1964.

Arrears.

The amount of past years' arrears that fell in was Rs. 1,58,048 during the year under report as against Rs. 95,551 in the last year. The balance of outstanding arrears at the close of the previous year was Rs. 37,94,362 which with the collections mentioned above, a remission of Rs. 11,455, and the suspension of Rs. 3,08,374 out of the demand for the year under review, brings the figure to Rs. 39,33,233 at the close of the year. Opportunity was taken in the last year's report to explain how this large figure of arrears has grown in consequence of the generously elastic policy of the Darbar in the matter of revenue collections, and how any hasty and untimely attempt to indiscriminately wipe it out would be injurious both to the ryots and to the State ; and there is no need to repeat the same here. It will be enough to mention that the ryots of this State are quite contented and happy, and that they fully appreciate this liberal policy of the Darbar, who are ever cautiously watchful of the condition of their cultivators.

The following table gives the details about arrears :—

Districts.	Previous Arrears.				Arrears of Samvat 1965.	Total arrears at the end of 1965.
	At the close of Samvat 1964.	Recoveries in Samvat 1965.	Written-off in Samvat 1965.	Balance of Arrears		
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Mahuva ...	4,26,155	10,383	475	4,15,297	49,933	4,65,230
Kundla ...	10,27,053	13,600	5,845	10,07,608	50,960	10,58,568
Lilia ...	6,62,234	24,358	2,707	6,35,169	43,409	6,78,578
Umrala ...	5,07,075	21,150	57	4,85,868	23,466	5,09,334
Botad ...	4,17,698	31,884	123	3,85,691	32,012	4,17,703
Daskrohi ...	1,70,126	11,574	...	1,58,552	33,702	1,92,254
Gadhada ...	2,95,633	29,467	225	2,65,941	2,234	2,68,175
Sihor ...	74,933	4,180	1,431	69,322	8,214	77,536
Talaja ...	49,665	5,623	477	43,565	390	43,955
Victor ...	1,62,504	5,825	113	1,56,566	34,488	1,91,054
Customs, &c. ...	1,286	4	2	1,280	29,566	30,846
Total... ...	37,94,362	1,58,048	11,455	36,24,859	3,08,374	39,33,233

Loans to Bhayats and Mul-grasias.

Upon this head Rs. 52,313 were recovered during the year under report, and fresh advances were made to the exent of Rs. 10,811, thus leaving an outstanding balance of Rs. 1,68,653 (inclusive of interest) at the close of the year, as against Rs. 1,65,180 in the previous year.

2. Culturable Area and Waste.

Culturable Area.

The total area of arable land under the administration of the Revenue Department was 11,64,918 acres of Darbari proper and 1,61,546 acres of alienated lands, making a total of 13,26,464 acres. Of the Darbari lands 7,32,765 acres were classified as assessed and occupied, 22,325 as assessed but unoccupied, and 4,09,828 as unassessed and unoccupied. The figure for occupied lands includes 779 acres escheated to the Darbar during the year under review. 243 acres were brought under cultivation for the first time and 511 acres were relinquished owing to deterioration from various causes. The necessary details will be seen from the following table:—

Description of Culturable Area.	1908-09.	1909-10.
	Acres.	Acres.
A.—Darbari Proper :—		
1 Assessed and occupied ...	7,30,564	7,32,765
2 Assessed and unoccupied	15,408	15,728
	* + 9,179	* + 6,597
3 Unassessed and Unoccupied	3,95,692	4,09,828
Total... ...	11,50,843	11,64,918
B.—Darbari Barkhali :—		
1 Paying full assessment ..	1,66,751	1,53,857
2 Paying half assessment ...	8,874	7,689
Total... ...	1,75,631	1,61,546
Grand Total of Culturable Area...	13,26,474	13,26,464

* Occupied in previous years but lying uncultivated during the year owing to none coming forward to occupy it.

Lease at reduce assessment.

The figure for occupied lands includes 62,447 acres leased out at a reduced rental, which if taken up for their fully assessed amount would fetch Rs. 1,92,043 instead of Rs. 1,24,986 which they now bring in.

3. Tagavi Advances.

Tagavi.

Rs. 97 only were advanced on this head during the year under report. The arrears at the close of the previous year were Rs. 90,769, out of which Rs. 41,524 were recovered and Rs. 111 had to be written off. Thus the balance left for recovery at the close of the year amounts to Rs. 49,221. These figures refer to all the districts except Mahuva, Kundla, and Talaja where these advances were mixed up with arrears for land revenue dues and separate figures were not therefore available.

4. Survey.

Revenue Survey.

The revenue survey establishment did satisfactory work during the year, inspecting the boundary marks and attending and re-adjusting and repairing the same.

5. Wards and other Estates.

Estates under Management.

During the year under report 59 estates were in charge of the District Revenue Officers on account of minority, indebtedness, disputes between rival claimants and similar causes. Of these, 40 were managed under the supervision of the Revenue Commissioner and 19 under that of the Rajyaprakarni Officer.

6. Giras and Alienation Settlement.

Giras Settlement.

During the year under report only one case was filed by Mul-grasias alleging infringement of their rights.

Co-parcenery and Heirship Cases.

Thirty-four cases of co-parcenery and heirship between Mul-grasias were pending at the close of the preceding year and 20 new cases were filed in the year under report. Of these, 18 were disposed of, leaving a balance of 36 at the close of the year. Of the 18 that were disposed of, 8 have been appealed against.

Alienation Settlement.

Reports concerning final settlement of alienated land in some of the villages of the district of Bhal and in the districts of Victor and Kundla were submitted and received the sanction of the Darbar Hazur during the year under review.

CHAPTER III.

PROTECTION.

1. Legislation.

Appendix **II** gives a list of the laws and rules in force in the State.

2. Military—Imperial Service Lancers.

Command.

Lieutenant Zoravarsinh who had been temporarily appointed on special duty as Military Secretary to His Highness, has now resumed the command of the Corps.

Strength.

The force numbered 295 at the close of the previous year, out of whom 29 were discharged and 4 died during the year under report, leaving 262 which with 31 newly enlisted brings up the total strength to 293 at the end of the year. These consist of 11 Commissioned Officers, 26 Non-commissioned Officers, and 256 fighting men. Appendix **III** will explain the necessary details.

Arms.

The Regiment is armed with carbines, swords and lances. The arms were inspected by the Civil Chief Master Armourer and found satisfactory. The Armourer was pronounced to be efficient.

Remounts.

At the commencement of the year there were 299 horses out of which 4 died, 5 were sold, 5 were cast, and 6 new remounts were purchased, leaving the total at 291 at the close of the year.

Ponies.

There were 112 ponies at the commencement of the year under report, and casualties and new purchases have brought down the number to 111.

Musketry.

The Regiment has gone through the whole course of Musketry, and was inspected by Major Munn, Inspector-General of Musketry, who was satisfied with the general work done. Jamadar Achalsinh and Duffedar Rustamsinh were sent to the Musketry Class at Meerut and they passed satisfactorily. Kote-Duffedar Major Khermahmad was sent as an instructor to the Musketry Class at Meerut, where he gave entire satisfaction to the Inspector-General, who made a special mention of his work in his report on the Musketry Class, which reflects great credit on this Regiment; his services were again asked for this year, but he could not be spared. The Regiment has 3 marksmen, 188 first-class and 93 second-class shots, there being none in the third-class.

General Inspection.

The Regiment as a whole was inspected by General Drummond, Inspector-General, Imperial Service Troops, who expressed his perfect satisfaction at the efficiency of the Regiment, and was pleased to remark that the force was now sufficiently well trained to start higher military training.

Signalling.

Kote-Duffedar Amarsinh who was sent at Keyarighat last year to the Signalling Class has obtained a certificate as Assistant Instructor having secured 280 points out of 300.

Inspection of Signalling.

Captain S. Morton, Inspector of Signalling, Imperial Service Troops, inspected the Signallers of the Regiment at Rajkot and was greatly pleased at the work done by the Signallers and remarked that the high standard of efficiency obtained by the Lancers had been fully maintained in spite of new men, upon which the Inspector-General, Imperial Service Troops, mentions very highly of the zealous work done by Jamadar Bapubha, the Officer in charge. Thus the Regiment has succeeded in holding the premier position for the third time running amongst all the squadron units in the Imperial Service Troops of India.

Racing.

Eleven horses of the Bhavnagar Lancers took part in the Races at Rajkot, two securing first, two second, and six third prizes.

Hockey.

The Regiment's interest in Hockey remains unabated.

Polo.

Polo was played regularly throughout the year. The Kathiawar Tournament was not played this year as the question of giving the Challenge Cup was decided in the favour of this Regiment as it had won it for the three years cousecutively. The team of the Regiment was entered in the Bombay Polo Tournament. It unfortunately lost the match after very well contested and fast games.

His Excellency the Governor's visit.

Regimental Sports was one of the functions which His Excellency Sir George Clarke, the Governor of Bombay, was pleased to attend during his recent visit in January last, and it is gratifying to note that His Excellency was pleased to express great satisfaction at the efficiency and the high bearing of the Troops.

Sword and Lance Exercise.

Sword and Lance exercise continues to be efficiently practised as heretofore.

Cost

The total cost of the Regiment was Rs. 1,64,259 during the year under review

3. Infantry or Armed Police.

Strength.

The strength of the Armed Police known as the Bhavnagar State Infantry was 281 at the end of the preceding year. During the year under report 5 died, 33 were discharged from the service and 35 recruits were newly enlisted. The strength at the close of the year was therefore 278. The cost of this Force to the State was Rs. 54,498. Appendix **III-A** gives the necessary details with regard to this Corps. The arms borne by the Force consist of rifles and bayonets.

Band.

The Band attached to the Infantry continues to be highly efficient.

Artillery.

There is no separate Artillery Force in this State. A party of the Infantry specially trained for the purpose perform those duties.

4. Police.

Regular Police.

The total Police Force of the State under the exclusive control of the Police Department stands at 769 consisting of 63 Officers, 52 Mounted Police, 653 Footmen (inclusive of 75 Chowkidars of the Village Police), and 1 detective.

Village Police.

The Village Police consists of 2,316 men exclusive of the 75 Chowkidars who owing to the peculiar situation and circumstances of certain villages are placed under the exclusive control of the Police Department. Of these, 508 are Mukhis or Police Patels, 963 are Chowkidars, and 845 are Pasaitas. Among the Mukhis 219 have exclusive charge of the Village Police work, while 288 have both Police and revenue duties to perform. The whole of the Village Police is under the control of the Revenue Department, but in so far as they perform Police duties, they are under the supervision of the Police Department.

Strength.

The total strength of both the Regular and Village Police comes to 3,085, and if the Armed Police are added it stands at 3,363 men. The ratio of the whole Force works up to one man for every 122·07 men of the population and every 0·85 square mile of the area. The ratio of the Regular Police alone is one man for every 536·6 men of the population and every 3·71 square miles of the area.

Discipline.

Among the subordinates of the Police Department there are 156 Sipahis, 469 Rajputs, 95 Rabaris, 3 Sindhis and 4 Arabs. Of these, only 419 know how to read and write, and 102 are under instruction. During the year under report 43 men were rewarded by promotion, 103 were dismissed and 202 men were fined or punished departmentally. Appendix **IV** gives the necessary details in this connection.

Cost. The cost of the Police Department in the year under report was Rs. 1,16,582 against Rs. 1,25,996 in the preceding year.

Arms. The Mounted Police is provided with rifles and swords and the Foot Police with Batons.

Cognizable Crimes. Appendix **V** will show that during the year under report the number of cognizable offences reported was 71 less than that in the preceding year ; the number of persons arrested was less by 65, and that of persons sent up for trial was less by 67. The percentage of convictions to arrests was 66·74 as against 72·64 and that of convictions to persons sent for trial was 68·1 as against 73·59 last year.

Offences generally. The total number of offences (both cognizable and non-cognizable) reported decreased from 5,445 to 4,273, showing a fall of 21·5 per cent. The following table will show the main heads of the offences this year as compared with those in the last year :—

	1908-09.	1909-10.
Murder	4	9
Culpable homicide	2	3
Grievous hurt	50	48
Hurt	793	732
Dacoity	...	...
Robbery	6	14
House-breaking	38	34
Theft	264	218
Petty offences	4,288	3,215
Total ...	5,445	4,273

Further details will be found in Appendix **VII.**

Value and Recovery of Stolen Property. The aggregate value of property alleged to have been stolen during the year was Rs. 8,313 as against Rs. 7,507 in the previous year, and that of property recovered Rs. 7,404 as against Rs. 4,756, the percentage of recovery being 89·06 as against 63·35 last year *(vide* Appendix **VI**).

5. Criminal Justice.

Number and Constitution of Courts. The number and constitution of Criminal Courts in the State remained the same as in the previous year, *viz.*, 9 Magistrates' Courts and 2 Courts of Sessions, besides 2 Courts of Appeal.

Works done by Original Courts. The work done by the various original courts during the year under report will appear from Appendices **VII** and **VIII.** It will be seen that the number of cases brought to trial was 2,334 as against 2,783 last year, showing a decrease

of 16·02 per cent, and the number of persons involved was 3,245 as against 3,888 last year, also showing a decrease of 16·5 per cent. Of the 3,245 persons brought to trial, 2,024 were convicted, 751 were acquitted, 423 were discharged while 4 remained under trial at the close of the year. As to punishments, no sentence of death was inflicted in the year under notice. Sentences of imprisonment for over six months were passed against 41 persons, of imprisonment for six months and under against 1o2, of fine against 1,814, and of whipping against 17, as compared with the corresponding figures 47, 199, 2,217, and 1 respectively in the previous year. The amount of fines imposed was Rs. 6,235 as against Rs. 10,975 in the preceding year and the amount recovered under this head was Rs. 6,531 as against Rs. 11,076 in 1908-09.

Appeals.

The appellate courts decided appeals concerning 177 prisoners, with the result that the decisions of the lower courts were upheld in the case of 112, were amended in the case of 26, were quashed in the case of 32 convicts, and further enquiry ordered in the case of 2 convicts, leaving 3 appeals involving 5 convicts undisposed of at the end of the year *(vide* Appendix IX).

Revision.

There were 19 applications for revision, the sentence being confirmed in 12, amended in 2, and reversed in 4 cases, leaving 1 application undisposed of at the end of the year.

6. Civil Justice.

Number and Constitution of Courts

There were 11 courts of original jurisdiction and 3 of appellate jurisdiction as in the previous year.

Number of Suits.

The number of suits fell from 5,876 to 5,673 being a decrease of 3·4 per cent. Adding to this 201 cases left undecided at the end of the previous year, there were 5,874 cases before civil courts for decision, as against 6,097 in 1908-09. Out of these, 5,560 suits were disposed of as against 5,896 in the preceding year, of which 66 related to disputes about immovable property, 5,507 to pecuniary claims, and 100 to miscellaneous rights. Their aggregate value was Rs. 5,43,031, as compared with Rs. 7,00,964 in the preceding year, the average duration of a suit being 2 months and 4·72 days. Further details will be found in Appendix X.

Appeals.

The number of appeals presented during the year in the three appellate courts of the State was 245 as against 238 last year, which together with the balance of the preceding year makes a total of 321. Of these, 269 appeals, the aggregate value whereof was Rs. 53,468 were disposed of, as against 232

appeals of the collective value of Rs. 1,17,857 in the preceding year. For details see Appendix **XII**. The 260 appeals decided may be classified as follows :—

No. of Appeals.	Class.
38	Immovable Property.
181	Money Transactions.
41	Miscellaneous Claims.
Total ... 260	

Applications for Execution of Decrees.

The number of applications for execution of decrees presented during the year was 9,059, which with the balance of the previous year comes to 9,759. Out of these, 8,921 or 91 per cent were disposed of, leaving a balance of 838 or 9 per cent pending at the close of the year. For details see Appendix **XI**.

Receipts and Expenditure.

The total receipts of all the Courts amounted to Rs. 96,901 as against Rs. 82,984 in 1908-09, while the charges fell from Rs. 88,027 to Rs. 87,691.

7. Registration.

Documents for Registration.

The number of documents presented for registration during the year showed an increase of 76 over that of the preceding year, the value of property involved fell from Rs. 2,45,264 to Rs. 2,37,822, while the fees realized rose from Rs. 1,710 to Rs. 1,779. The majority of these documents consisted of deeds of mortgage. Details can be seen from Appendices **XIV** and **XV**.

Sale of Immovable Property.

The above figures do not include sales of immovable property, which being chargeable with *chowth* are entered in the registers of the Revenue Department. Appendix **XIV-A** gives the details of these documents. It will be seen that the number of sales increased by 80, the value of property involved being Rs. 3,25,819 as against Rs. 3,00,475 of the previous year, and the *chowth* receipts Rs. 9,806 as against Rs. 9,044.

8. Jails.

Number and Population.

There are 9 Jails and lock-ups in the State including the Central Jail in the Capital. The number of prisoners at the end of March 1909 was 116 and during the year under report there were 328 admissions, making a total of 444 as against 467 of the preceding year. Out of these, 5 died before their terms had expired, and 333 were released on the expiry of their respective terms of imprisonment, leaving 106 at the close of the year. Appendix **XIII** gives the necessary details.

Average.

The daily average of prisoners was 108·49 as against 122·89 of the previous year.

Expenditure.

The gross expenditure exclusive of the charges on account of the Jail-guards at the Central Jail was Rs. 15,885 as against Rs. 16,584 in 1908-09, the cost per head coming to Rs. 147 as against Rs. 110 in the preceding year.

Prison Labour.

During the year under report, prison labour produced goods of the value of about Rs. 5,881 and articles worth Rs. 731 were in hand from the previous year's stock. Out of these, articles valued at Rs. 5,751 were sold and stock worth Rs. 861 remained on hand as the balance at the close of the year.

Health.

The general health of the prison population was well maintained.

9. Municipalities.

Constitution.

There are 10 Municipalities in the State, all of them being maintained as Darbari Institutions at State expense. The most important of these is the Municipality in the Capital which cost to the Darbar Rs. 65,117 in the year under report. This together with the Municipalities of the various districts are under the control of an officer styled the President of Municipalities, and their affairs are managed by a Committee of official and non-official members, the latter being nominated by that officer periodically from among lists of eligible gentlemen sanctioned by the Darbar for the purpose. Each of these Municipalities has a Secretary who assists the Committee, and the Bhavnagar City Municipality has also an Assistant Secretary and a large staff of Clerks, Inspectors and other servants.

Income and Expenditure.

The aggregate income arising out of the miscellaneous receipts classed under this head was Rs. 57,587 as against Rs. 48,664 in the previous year, and the expenditure was Rs. 94,510 as against Rs. 98,223 in 1908-09. Further details will be found embodied in Appendix **XVI.**

Fires.

During the year under report there were 9 fires in Bhavnagar, 4 in Mahuva, 4 in Kundla, 5 in Botad, 1 in Umrala, 4 in Gadhada, 1 in Rajula, and 4 in Lilia, the estimated loss of property therefrom being Rs. 19,429, Rs. 575, Rs. 175, Rs. 3,455, Rs. 150, Rs. 135, Rs. 125, and Rs. 136 respectively, making a total of Rs. 24,180 as against Rs. 1,00,492 in the preceding year.

Plague.

It is gratifying to note that plague made no appearance in any part of the State during the year under report. A scheme of rat destruction is being quietly but systematically carried on by the energetic Secretary of the Bhavnagar Municipality during the year under report.

Water-supply.

Gangajalia and other wells supply water to the town of Bhavnagar in addition to the water in the Gavarishankar Lake which is brought through main pipes into the town, and supplied to the people by means of tanks put up at convenient places. The lake had about 23 feet and 3 inches of water at the

end of the year. The construction of the Sandhurst Reservoir for the supply of filtered water to the city, with a pumping Station and a series of filter beds, has made considerable progress, and is excepted to be completed in the ensuing year. In the districts the principal sources of drinking water are wells and rivers.

10. Chemical Analysis.

The number of analysis made increased from 55 to 76. There were 17 cases of suspected human poisoning, 3 of suspected cattle poisoning, 43 of suspected blood stains, 10 of suspected seminal stains, and 3 miscellaneous cases. Out of the 17 cases of human poisoning, opium was detected in 8 and small pieces of white glass in 4. Out of 3 cases of suspected cattle poisoning Arsenious Oxide was detected in 1.

153 articles including swords, sticks, knives and clothes were received for the detection of blood-stains and seminal stains, and examined by the Chemical Analyser with varying results. These articles were connected with cases in law courts.

Two samples of juwar and one sample of rice were analysed and were pronounced wholesome.

A sample of water from a well in village Kalyanpur in the district of Lilia was analysed and was found to be unfit for potable purposes.

CHAPTER IV.

PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

1. Weather and Crops.

Rainfall.

Appendix **XVII** gives particulars of the rainfall in the several districts of the State during the Samvat year 1965 (1909 A. D.), and Appendix **XVII-A**, a comparative statement for 8 years. As observed at the commencement of Chapter II this report deals rather with the effects of the rainfall in Samvat year 1964, and remarks about that rainfall have been made there. The rainfall in the monsoon of Samvat year 1965 was uniformly well distributed and was most timely in all the districts. June gave us from 2·55 minimum at Port Albert Victor to 9·52 maximum at Talaja. Thus the first fall being very favourable the cultivators started sowing operations with great *eclat*. July, August and September gave us timely and copious showers which were very beneficial to the young crops. But the promising prospects thus held out were considerably set back by subsequent unfavourable climatic conditions, and by the untimely showers of December, which adversely affected the cotton crops. The prevalence of exceptionally high prices of cotton however saved the situation, and the ground that was lost by unfavourable weather was again gained by favourable prices. In view of these bright conditions, the Darbar passed orders for the recovery of a small percentage of past arrears in addition to the current year's revenue, the details whereof will be dealt with in the ensuing report.

2. Agriculture.

Cropped Area.

The total area cropped by Darbari cultivators numbering 12,239 was 7,78,115 acres or 19,45,238 bighas, the distribution of the crops being as under:—

	Previous year. Acres.		Year under Report. Acres.
Cotton...	3,13,793	...	3,17,398
Wheat...	17,328	...	18,014
Oil-seeds	42,711	...	39,529
Bajri, jowari, sugar-cane, &c...	3,73,187	...	4,03,174
Total ...	7,47,019	...	7,78,115

The total area cropped rose by 31,096 acres. The area under cotton increased by 1·1 per cent over that in the previous year, that under wheat by 3·9 per cent and that under miscellaneous crops by 8 per cent, while that under oil-seeds showed a fall of 7·4 per cent.

Sugar-cane Cultivation.

The cultivation of sugar-cane, besides giving a relatively more paying produce to the farmer, tends to improve the quality of the soil in consequence of the manuring and irrigation which it involves. For some time past the area under this crop was found to be going down year after year, and an inquiry instituted under the orders of His Highness revealed the fact that this was due mainly to a succession of seasons of insufficient rainfall and partly also to the reduced resources of the cultivators. With a view to encourage and promote the cultivation of this useful crop His Highness was pleased, in the year under report, to reduce the normal assessment on the said crop by 50 per cent for a period of five years, and it is hoped that the ryots will take advantage of this liberal concession.

The area under sugar-cane during the year under report was 2,507 Bighas against 2,360 in the previous year showing a rise of 147 Bighas.

Agricultural Stock.

The details of agricultural stock in the several districts will be seen from Appendix **XX**. There are 45,586 heads of cattle particularly useful in agricultural work.

3. Horticulture.

The Darbar maintained the Victoria Park and the Peile Gardens at a cost of Rs. 7,176 and Rs. 7,603 respectively. They were under the control and supervision of the Public Works Department.

The Albert Victor Square and a small garden round the Percival Fountain, both places of public recreation under the care of the Bhavnagar Municipality, were also maintained by the Darbar.

The Plantation at Mahuva and that at Sihor known by the name of *Kant* were maintained by the Darbar. The Mahuva Plantation and *Fulvadi* possess about 45,937 trees of various descriptions, such as mango-trees, palm-trees, acacia, babul, &c.

4. Horse-Breeding.

Stallions.

The number of stallions belonging to the Darbar was 8; one of these was an Arab, one a T. B. Waler, one an Italian donkey, one a T. B. English and four pure Kathis. For the convenience of the public and with a view to encourage private breeders, two of these stallions were stationed in the districts and their services were well utilized.

Service.

The number of mares covered was 221, of which 66 belonged to the Darbar, and 155 to private owners. The Darbari mares covered produced 11 colts and 14 fillies, of which 2 colts and 3 fillies died, and 20 survived at the close of the year.

Brood-mares.

There were 106 brood-mares at the end of the last year; 9 fillies were added to the number from the young stock of the Paddock, making a total of 115, out of which 6 mares were sold, and 1 was presented, the number remaining at the close of the year being 108. Of these, 8 were walers, 83 stud-bred, 16 Kathis, and 1 Arab.

Young Stock.

There were 87 young stock at the end of the last year, and 25 were added during the year under report, and three bought for nursery, making in all 115. Of these, 25 were under one year, 32 under two years, 27 under three years, and 31 under four years and above. Of these, 9 were classed as brood-mares, 6 died, 14 were sold, 2 were presented and 1 was given to the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers. The number at the end of the year was 83.

The Italian donkey was used for covering Darbari mares as well as the baggage ponies of the Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers. The mules produced look serviceable to the Regiment.

His Excellency Sir George Clarke, the Governor of Bombay, was, during his sojourn here, pleased to visit the stud on the 27th January.

5. Wages, Labour and Prices.

Prices.

Prices of food stuffs were slightly more favourable than those of the previous year though they cannot be regarded as having reached the normal figure. They were cheapest from September to November, while towards the close of the year Bajree was dearest and Jowar was sold at a reasonably fair price. Rice was dearest in August. Wheat kept up fairly good rates throughout the year. Fodder was sold at fair prices. Appendix **XVIII** will show a comparative table of the prices that prevailed during the past five years.

Wages.

There was no marked fluctuation in the rates of wages in the State except about the harvest time. The wages of field labourers were a little higher than the normal scale. This continued only about 3 to 4 months, otherwise the average rate for unskilled labour varied from annas 3 to annas 4 and that for skilled labour from annas 8 to annas 11.

6. Manufactures and Industries.

Mill.

The one Spinning and Weaving Mill which exists in the State has 327 looms and 19,600 spindles, and it consumed 30,35,173 lbs. of cotton in the year under report, the production being 26,69,942 lbs. of yarn valued at Rs. 11,67,969 and 9,69,973 lbs. of cloth valued at Rs. 5,12,642. The average number of Mill-hands employed was 1,052.

Hand-loom Factory.

The small hand-loom factory mentioned in the last year's report was converted by its proprietor into a power-loom one. It is worked by an engine of 7 horse-power and has 25 looms. It consumed 8,000 lbs. of twist yarn in pre-

paring *Khadi* (coarse cloth) weighing 7,039 lbs. valued at Rs. 3,079. The average number of hands employed in this factory was 28.

Cotton Presses and Ginning Factories.

There were 11 cotton-presses, seven at Bhavnagar and four at Mahuva, and 18 Ginning Factories with 505 gins at Botad, Dhola, Panchtalavda, Kundla, Facharia, Dungar, Rajula, Mahuva, Jesar, Talaja, and Sihor.

Hand-gins are rarely to be found though they were seen working in a few villages.

During the year under review, an enterprising gentleman of Botad has started a hand-loom factory on a very small scale. Socks and Stockings are turned out and it is reported they are well in demand. The enterprise is being watched with interest and it is hoped it will be able to widen its scope in future.

Weaving, &c.

Though hand-weaving has been at a very low ebb, weavers in Kundla, produced a good stock of gold-laced *pachhedis*, silk-bordered *dhotars*, and thick covering sheets of cotton known as *chofals*. Botad weavers produced a small stock of cotton cloth known as "check". Gadhada turned out a stock of stout woollen blankets, and the Khatris of Sihor, Umrala, and Vartej produced carpets and bed-covers dyed in variegated colours. Petty little wooden and ivory toys continued to be made in Mahuva, and the skill of the Sihor copper-smiths in the preparation of brass and copper household utensils is still admired.

A small Exhibition.

A fair,—an exhibition on a small scale—of articles of local manufacture and industry was organized in February by the Bhavnagar Industrial and Agricultural Society, in the huge Shamiana put up in the Albert Victor Square. Though it was a smaller concern than the one that took place in April 1908 under the auspicies of the same Society, the arrangements made were so perfect and accurate, that great credit is due to the promoters and organisers of the Scheme. His Highness with his usual generosity gave all necessary help and encouragement to the enterprise. The fair was opened by the Dewan in the midst of a large assemblage, and was kept going for ten days.

7. Trade.

Ports.

Besides Bhavnagar, the State possesses the following Ports :—

(*a*) Mahuva and the small ports subordinate thereto,
(*b*) Kathiwadar, now called Port Albert Victor,
(*c*) Pipavav,
(*d*) Talaja (Sultanpur),
(*e*) Jhanjmer (not in use now), and
(*f*) Sundrai.

All these enjoy in virtue of agreements with the Government, the full benefits of British Indian Ports.

Tariff.

During the year under report, as hitherto, whenever a change was made in the Tariff duties in force at British Indian Ports on trade to and from foreign ports, it was forthwith extended to the ports in this State and was notified in the Darbari Gazette.

Exports and Imports.

The prospects of the year are also apparent in the statistics of trade, which had receded in the previous year, but which again showed a tendency to rise in the year under notice. Appendices **XXXI., XXXII** and **XXXIII** give full details of the Export and Import trade at all the ports of the State mentioned above. The exports rose by more than 10 per cent, being Rs. 1,55,35,630 as against Rs. 1,40,26,821 in the previous year. The increase is chiefly accounted for by cotton, which rose by 16 per cent, or 15 lakhs, the other noticeable increases being under ghee, metals, cotton yarns, and miscellaneous articles. On the other hand there was a retrogade move under grain, wool, molasses, cotton-seeds and hides. The imports also rose from Rs. 1,08,78,009 to Rs. 1,16,72,410, the noticeable increase, being under rice, cloth, metals, timber and oil, while there was a substantial fall under grain, sugar, molasses, cotton-yarn, oil-seeds and betelnuts.

The following table shows the fluctuations in the trade of the State during the last twenty one years :—

No.	Year.	Value of Exports	Value of Imports.
		Rs	Rs
1	1889-1890	1,50,62,992	1,04,53,989
2	1890-1891	1,95,77,119	84,35,581
3	1891-1892	1,82,41,012	90,61,634
4	1892-1893	1,97,41,027	95,47,912
5	1893-1894	2,34,22,350	1,36,64,289
6	1894-1895	1,78,77,702	1,13,11,924
7	1895-1896	1,89,76,519	1,42,01,702
8	1896-1897	2,52,17,621	1,40,62,156
9	1897-1898	1,49,26,740	1,38,75,489
10	1898-1899	1,72,53,065	1,23,90,855
11	1899-1900	1,38,47,645	1,25,09,255
12	1900-1901	44,28,760	2,49,38,685
13	1901-1902	53,86,006	1,05,99,585
14	1902-1903	56,23,159	1,08,84,735
15	1903-1904	1,29,66,048	90,96,665
16	1904-1905	2,21,46,034	97,65,112
17	1905-1906	75,66,750	1,15,17,384
18	1906-1907	1,56,40,449	1,04,25,065
19	1907-1908	2,19,57,882	1,13,26,646
20	1908-1909	1,40,26,821	1,08,78,009
21	1909-1910	1,55,35,630	1,16,72,410

Rice traffic.

Rice is now imported into Bhavnagar by direct shipments from Rangoon, the B. I. S. N. Co's Steamers which bring the same being safely moored to the Bouys put up at the new anchorage in the creek.

Railway materials.

Similarly the S. S. Tangistan and the S. S. Afghanistan which brought rails, &c., for the Sihor-Palitana and the Dhasa-Kundla Railways direct from England were brought right up the creek and moored at the new anchorage, thereby greatly facilitating the unloading of the cargo and effecting a saving both of time and money.

The Customs Frontier Line at Viramgam.

In the last two years' reports grateful reference has been made to the gracious decision of the Government of India, kindly upholding the claims and acknowledging and preserving to the Bhavnagar Darbar their ancient and highly-prized treaty-rights which had been violated by the imposition of the Viramgam barrier against the trade of Bhavnagar. It was expected that the Customs Department would be as generous as the Government of India in giving the fullest effect to the said decision, but as mentioned last year, issues have again been unfortunately raised with regard to the exact interpretation thereof. The Darbar have therefore once more respectfully approached Government for redress, and the question is awaiting their final decree. It is now over six years since the much-cherished treaty-rights of this State have been under quarantine, and two years have elapsed since the aforesaid magnanimous decision of the Government of India was passed. It is sometimes said that the wheels of Government grind slow. It would appear that it has been so in this instance. But the experience of this State has been that though slow they are sure and steady, and His Highness is confident that eventually the high sense of British justice will prevail in the matter of the arrangement of details, as it has already done in the matter of the grant of the principle.

8. Public Works.

Expenditure.

The total expenditure during the year on Public Works, exclusive of expenditure on Revenue Account on the Bhavnagar Integral Railway, amounted to Rs. 4,74,658 as against Rs. 5,32,013 in the preceding year. The necessary details of this expenditure will be found in Appendix **XIX.**

Harbour.

Dredging in the Bhavnagar Harbour continued as usual. The mud dredged during the year under notice was 1,96,350 tons as against 90,475 tons in the preceding year, and the depth dredged was 18 feet. The cost per ton came to 1 anna and 2 pies as against $11\frac{3}{4}$ pies in the preceding year.

Light-houses.

The light-houses at the various Bandars were efficiently looked after and continued in good order.

9. Railway.

The Bhavnagar Integral Railway.

The Bhavnagar Integral Railway, which was one of the first great undertakings initiated by His Highness' lamented father, dates back to the famine year 1877-78, and it has been of the highest utility to the State and to other parts of the Province of Kathiawad. It is the sole property of the Bhavnagar State. It runs from Bhavnagar to Wadhwan in the north and to Dhasa in the

South and extends for 120·33 miles besides 17 miles of sidings. The Bhavnagar Dock Estate has been connected with the Railway line running from the Bhavnagar Terminus.

Gross earnings.

The gross earnings from 1st November 1908 to 31st October 1909 amounted to Rs. 10,93,896 as against Rs. 11,16,823 in the preceding year.

Revenue Expenditure.

The expenditure on Revenue Account was Rs. 5,68,488 as against Rs. 4,84,957 in the previous year.

Net Earnings.

The net earnings of the line were Rs. 5,25,408 as against Rs. 6,31,865 in 1908-09, yielding a return of 6·43 per cent on the capital outlay, as against 7·95 per cent in the last year.

Capital Outlay.

At the close of the year under report the Bhavnagar share of the total capital outlay, including suspense, was Rs. 81,63,482, while the total net earnings amounted to Rs. 1,22,14,324, the excess of earnings over the capital outlay being Rs. 40,52,842.

Through-booking.

Through-booking of goods from stations on the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway to Bombay and *vice versa* by sea *via* the Port of Bhavnagar continues to be worked under contract with the Bombay Steam Navigation Company.

The working of the Kathiawad Railways.

Mention was made in the last year's report to the unfortunate disturbance of the harmonious and peaceful operations of the Board of Control of the Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railway, and the consequent impossibility of working the Kathiawad system of Railways, as a combination, in a business-like manner or on amicable terms. The question regarding the working of the Morvi Railway, which is outside the combination, added another element of complication to the problem. The Government of Bombay specially deputed Sir T. R. Wynne, the President of the Railway Board, personally to look into the matter and to discuss it with each of the Railway proprietors on the spot, and the proposals of that Officer with the views of the several Railway proprietors thereon which Government were kind enough to invite are still on the anvil of Government, awaiting final orders, which are anxiously expected.

Sihor • Palitana Railway.

The construction of the long-needed and useful extension to Palitana, which has been made possible by the kind co-operation of Mr. Tudor Owen, the energetic Administrator of that State, has made considerable progress, and all going well, it is expected that it will be completed by the end of the year.

Dhasa-Damnagar-Kundla Line.

The Dhasa-Kundla line is another useful project, which the Bhavnagar Darbar have taken in hand under an amicable arrangement with the Government of His Highness the Gaekwad of Baroda. It has now received the

sanction of the Government of India, and it is proposed to begin the construction work at once.

Ranpur-Dhandhuka Dholka Railway.

The long-delayed question of the construction of a link between Ranpur and Dholka *via* Dhandhuka is still awaiting the final decision of Government. It is admitted on all hands that the interests of the public demand the construction of this link as providing a cheaper and a shorter alternative route for the rising trade of the important town of Ahmedabad. From a purely Railway point of view the Bhavnagar Darbar are the only agency that can lay a claim to the construction of this link, for it would not only tap the traffic area of its existing Railway but would also adversely affect the earnings of their section from Ranpur to Wadhwan. The Ahmedabad-Dholka Railway Company, which is at the other end of the proposed link, have also an interest in the same, and in his usual spirit of conciliation, and with a view to facilitate the decision of Government, His Highness has arrived at an amicable arrangement in the matter with Messrs Killck Nixon and Company, the Agents of that line. But an obstinate opposition has been raised against this admittedly useful project on the part of the B. B. and C. I. Railway, on the score that its construction would affect their vested interests in the all-rail traffic between Bombay and Ahmedabad. It is not denied that in the matter of railway extensions vested interests have to be taken into account, but that they should be allowed to absolutely interdict projects which the interests of the public and the development of the country demand is a proposition which it is not easy to accept. The Bhavnagar Darbar have never claimed that the vested interests of the B. B. & C. I. Railway should not receive full consideration. They have left the adjustment of these vested interests entirely into the hands of Government, and are prepared to abide by any decision which Government may be pleased to give for their protection. His Highness goes even further and is prepared, by a suitable adjustment of rates, if Government so advise, to preserve to the B. B. & C. I. Railway their entire vested interests by reserving to them the whole of the Bombay Ahmedabad through traffic. The Darbar's representation on the subject is with the Government, whose final and early dicision is anxiously awaited, especially in view of the fact that other schemes of railway extension in the same part of the country, which would prejudicially affect the interests of Bhavnagar Railway, are being gradually furthered. It is confidently hoped that Government will be pleased to extend to a friendly Native State at least the same consideration which they would have granted to a private joint-stock Company, if such company had happened to be the proprietor of the Bhavnagar Railway.

CHAPTER V.

FINANCIAL REVIEW.

☞ *The figures given below are subject to alteration at the closing of the year's accounts.*

1. General.

The financial year of the State begins on 1st November and ends on 31st October, and the figures throughout this Chapter relate to that period. Appendix **XXII** will give a general view of the financial situation of the State at the end of the year under report. It will be seen that as against Dues, Loans, Advances, Investments and cash balance amounting in all to Rs. 1,86,88,940 there are Deposits and Debts to the extent of Rs. 73,60,122, leaving Rs. 1,00,19,473 to the good.

2. Revenue and Expenditure.

The details with regard to the gross revenue and expenditure of the State during the year under report are given in Appendix **XXII-A** of which the following is a summary :—

	Revenue.				Expenditure.			
	Samvat 1964.	Samvat 1965.	Increase.	Decrease.	Samvat 1964.	Samvat 1965.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
State ...	34,85,961	35,62,319	76,358	...	35,72,030	35,37,916	...	34,114
Railway ...	11,16,823	10,93,896	...	22,927	4,84,956	5,68,488	83,532	...
Total ...	46,02,784	46,56,215	53,431	...	40,56,986	41,06,404	49,418	...

There are no items on either side of the account that call for a special remark, except that the figures of revenue collections evidence fairly good season conditions.

Savings Bank.

The Darbar Savings Bank continues to rise in usefulness, the balance of deposits at the end of the year being nearly 42 lakhs as against 28 lakhs of the previous year.

3. Bhavnagar State Bonds.

The interest on these Bonds was paid regularly. The Bonds continue to rise in popularity, being quoted at a premium.

CHAPTER VI.

VITAL STATISTICS AND MEDICAL RELIEF.

1. Medical.

Total number of dispensaries.

During the year under report the total number of Institutions that gave medical relief in the State was 18, comprising one Hospital, five Dispensaries one Darbari Aushadhalaya in the town of Bhavnagar, ten Dispensaries in the different mahals of the State, and a small Dispensary in connection with Sir Takhtsinhji Poor-house at the village of Adhevada.

Number of Patients treated and average attendance.

In all these Institutions 1,32,931 patients were treated during the year under notice against 1,25,648 in the last year, showing an increase of 7,283. Of the patients so treated, 1,32,176 were out-patients, and 755 in-patients, against 1,24,945 and 703 respectively in the preceding year. The total daily average attendance of out-door and in-door patients at all the Institutions was 2,415 against 2,364 in the previous year, and the daily average number of in-door patients in the Sir Takhtsinhji Hospital was 47·8 against 48 last year. Details will be found in Appendix **XXIII**.

Prevailing diseases.

Skin diseases stand at the head of the list of prevailing diseases. Next in order of frequency were malarious fevers, diseases of the digestive system, eye, respiratory system, &c., as given below :—

	Percentage.
Diseases of the Skin	20·7
Malarial Fevers	16·2
Diseases of the Digestive System ...	12·6
„ „ Eye	12·2
„ „ Respiratory System ...	8·6
„ „ Ear	4·0
„ „ Connective Tissue... ...	3·9
Wounds and Injuries	4·0
Rheumatic Affections	2·4
Diseases of the Nervous System	2·3
Dysentry	2·0
Syphilitic Affections	1·1
Diseases of the Generative System ...	0·9
Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion ...	1·4
Debility	1·0
Worms	·6
Diseases of the Nose	·6
Diseases of Lymphatic System	·5
Diseases of the Spleen	·4
Diseases of the Urinary System	·3
All other general diseases...	4·3
	100·0

No case of plague occurred during the year. Plague.

No case of cholera has occurred during the last 7 years. Cholera.

A few cases of small-pox were reported in May at Bhavnagar, in June at Botad, and in March 1910 at Sihor. Small pox.

A mild type of measles was reported to have prevailed in Bhavnagar and Sihor in February and March respectively, and in May in Sihor. Measles.

Only three cases of chicken-pox were brought for treatment in March in the Bhavnagar Takhtsinhji Hospital. Chicken-pox.

The total number of cases of poisoning treated during the year was 147, of whom 2 proved fatal, and the rest were cured. The details of the cases will be found in Appendix **XXVII.** Poisoning.

The total number of surgical operations performed during the year was 4,249 as against 3,707 during the last year. Of these, 279 were major, and 3,970 minor operations, as per details given in Appendix **XXVIII.** Surgical Operations.

Most of the important operations took place at the Takhtsinhji Hospital. For crushing stone in the bladder 23 individuals were operated upon, of whom 6 were male adults, 16 male children and 1 female child. Of these, 17 were discharged cured, 1 was released, 3 proved fatal, and 2 remained under treatment at the close of the year. The largest stone crushed weighed 1 ounce 5 drachms and 30 grains and the smallest 3 grains. All were finished in one sitting. The oldest man treated was 60 years of age, and the youngest, $1\frac{1}{2}$ years. Lithotomy was performed on a male child 8 years old, because the size of the stone was too large to be crushed. The weight of the stone was 5 ounces and 40 grains. The patient was discharged cured.

Extraction of the Lens was performed in 49 cases. Of these, 44 were performed in the Takhtsinhji Hospital, and 5 were performed in the Juvansinhji Dispensary. Of these, 37 were discharged cured, 6 relieved, 3 proved unsuccessful on account of complications, and 3 were under treatment at the close of the year. Cataract.

2. Vaccination.

The number of persons vaccinated and re-vaccinated during the year under report was 13,608 against 13,097 during the preceding year. Of these, 13,538 were primarily vaccinated and 70 were cases of re-vaccination. Among the operations of primary vaccination 13,147 were successful and 380 unsuc- Successful and Unsuccessful Cases

cessful, the result in 107 cases being unknown on account of the children not having been brought for inspection. In 70 cases vaccination was performed a second time out of which 61 were successful, and 9 unsuccessful.

Classification. Of persons primarily vaccinated, 11,911 were Hindus, 1,152 Mussalmans, 4 Parsees, 4 Christians, and 467 of other castes. Classifying them according to sex 6,812 were males and 6,726 females, and of those re-vaccinated, 58 were males and 12 females, making a total of 6,870 males and 6,738 females.

Percentage. The percentage of successful operations among primary vaccinations was 96·4 and among re-vaccinations 87·1, the ratio per 1,000 of population working to 32·0.

Inspection. Out of 658 villages in the State 633 were visited by Vaccinators, 25 only remaining unvisited. The Inspector visited 351 villages and inspected 9,828 children as against 329 villages and 10,315 children in the preceding year.

Cost. The total cost to the Darbar under this head was Rs. 5,675, the cost for each successful case coming to Re. 0-6-10 against Re. 0-7-7 in the preceding year.

Further details can be seen from Appendices **XXIX** and **XXX**.

3. Veterinary.

No epidemic cattle-disease was reported during the year.

Veterinary Hospital. The Bhavnagar Veterinary Hospital was built by the Darbar about 29 years ago, and all expenditure in connection therewith is defrayed by the State.

Excluding 3 animals under treatment at the close of the last year, 3,842 animals were admitted during the year. Out of these, 324 animals were treated as in-patients, of which 2 died, 5 were relieved, 310 were cured, and 7 remained in the Hospital for treatment at the close of the year.

CHAPTER VII.

PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

1. Education.

Institutions.

The Educational Institutions of the State consist of one Arts College, one High School, 9 Middle Schools, 147 Primary Schools, including 20 Girls' Schools, 3 Sanskrit Pathshalas, 2 Urdu Schools, and 4 Aided Schools. In Appendices **XXV** and **XXV-A** will be found the details with regard to the pupils, attendance, receipts and expenditure of all these Institutions, as compared with those of the previous year. There has been an increase of one in the number of Middle Schools this year and it is due to the fact that an English class teaching up to standard III has been opened in connection with the Vernacalur school at Talaja. The number of Boys' and Girls' Primary Schools which was 146 last year has increased by 1, on account of the opening of an Urdu school at Mahuva. The average monthly number of pupils and their average daily attendance were better than in the previous year.

Mission Schools.

Two Mission Schools were conducted in Bhavnagar, one for boys and the other for girls.

Private Schools.

Bedsides the Mission Schools there were 9 Private Schools in the State in the year under report, as per list given in Appendix **XXV-B**. The Bhavnagar Branch of the Theosophical Society has opened a Girls' School. The Jain Girls' School which formerly imparted religious instruction alone, now teaches other subjects also. The special feature of both of these schools is that they also impart instruction to adult women.

Indigenous Schools.

There were also 62 Indigenous Schools attended by 6,175 pupils as against 60 attended by 3,625 pupils last year.

Scholarships.

Besides spending liberally upon Education in the State, the Darbar maintains a number of pupils at several Institutions outside Bhavnagar, as will be seen from the Statement given in Appendix **XXV-C**. The total number of scholarships granted in the year under report was 85 and their aggregate cost Rs. 8,874, as against 91 and Rs. 16,458 respectively in the preceding year.

Samaldas College.

The following figures show the number of students and ex-students sent

by the Samaldas College to the various University Examinations and those who came out successful :—

Examination.	1908–1909.		1909–1910.	
	No. of Students and Ex-students.		No. of Students and Ex-students.	
	Sent up.	Passed.	Sent up.	Passed.
Previous	32	13	39	21
Intermediate	18	11	18	13
Senior B. A.	18	13	5	2
M. A.	1	...	3	...

Among those who passed the Previous Examination, two were placed in the second class, and one student secured that honour at the senior B. A.

University Requirements.

The building of a bungalow for the Principal in the vicinity of the College, which had been taken in hand in deference to a suggestion from the University authorities, has now been finished.

Alfred High School.

This school sent up 69 students to the Matriculation Examination, of whom 32 came out successful. The annual examination was, as usual, conducted by the Head-master with the help of his Assistants, and the results were satisfactory.

Middle Schools.

The progress of these schools was satisfactory. There was an increase of 196 in the average of monthly number on the rolls and an increase of Rs. 969 in fees. All these schools were examined by the Director of State Education.

Primary Schools.

The Primary Schools (for boys as well as girls) were, as usual, examined by the Inspectors, and the results were reported to be satisfactory. The methods of teaching appear to be slowly but surely improving.

Aided Schools.

The progress of these schools was also reported to be satisfactory. The Sanatan Dharma School which was permitted to open a Sixth Standard Class last year has been doing good work quietly and unostentatiously. The special feature of this school lies in giving moral and religious instruction to the pupils.

Education of the Cultivator Class.

The number of pupils of this class attending the several schools of the State increased from 1,237 to 1,467, and it is a matter for satisfaction to observe that it has now begun to shake off its lethargy and become alive to the benefits of Education. The distribution of these is given below :—

Institution.	1908-1909.		1909-1910.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
The Alfred High School	1	...	3	...
The Anglo-Vernacular Schools	91	...	119	...
Vernacular Schools	1,073	72	1,222	123
Total... ...	1,165	72	1,344	123
Grand Total... ...	1,237		1,467	

Much encouragement is given by the Darbar to the education of Grasias, Mahomedans and other backward classes. During the year under review all the Girasia scholarships attached to the High School and the Anglo-Vernacular School were given to suitable and deserving candidates, and it is hoped that the other backward classes will move on with the times and be ready to avail themselves of the Education facilities offered to them by the Darbar.

Education of the Backward Classes.

These Shikshaka-Samajas were encouraged to continue their useful work of the explanation and propagation of improved methods of teaching as heretofore.

Teachers' Associations.

2. Physical Education.

The Samaldas College Gymkhana continues to flourish under the liberal grant given by the Darbar. In the year under report the students displayed their usual keenness for sport and other activities. In Tennis they held their own against local teams ; in cricket also they scored a great success against the Junagadh College and the Baroda College at the Inter-Collegiate Shield matches. The Darbar has, during the year under report, liberally sanctioned a grant of Rs. 200 for constructing another tennis court on the south-west of the College.

The High School Cricket Club continued to flourish during the year under review. The majority of students preferred playing Cricket to Gymnastic exercises, though they regularly attended the Gymnasium twice a week. There are now Cricket Clubs both at Sihor and Mahuva, and everywhere outdoor games and sports are much indulged in.

3. Libraries and Museum.

The Barton Library at Bhavnagar which is located near the Ruvapari Gate, has a well chosen collection of books on literature, history, philosophy, &c., besides a considerable number of Sanskrit works, printed and in manuscript. 325 new volumes were added during the year, bringing the total number of books in the Library to 6,515. It subscribed to 18 papers and 40 periodicals English as well as Vernacular, in addition to 19 papers and 3 periodicals supplied by the Darbar. The number of subscribers on the Register was 274 as against 264 last year, and the subscriptions received amounted to Rs. 1,005 as against Rs. 961. The number of books issued during the year was 5,880 against 5,823, thus showing an increase of 357. The total expenditure during the year was Rs. 3,712 of which a part was met from subscriptions, and the deficiency was paid by the Darbar. An annual grant of Rs. 1,800 has been sanctioned towards meeting the deficiency for a period of two years.

Barton Library.

Museum.

Attached to the Barton Library is a Museum of antiquities which contains an interesting collection of rare and precious coins and specimens of local manufacture as well as works of art and industry. All the articles placed in it have been classified. It also contains interesting collections of arms and armour used by the former Rulers of the State.

Various exhibits were sent from the Museum to the Exhibition of old coins, held at Rajkot in connection with the third Gujarati Sahitya Parishad. These were highly appreciated by the visitors.

District Libraries.

Besides the Barton Library, there are about eighteen Libraries or reading rooms in the State which have a fair stock of books and newspapers and are supported by the Darbar. Some of the Libraries at the head-quarters of the Districts are housed in buildings provided out of funds collected by the people in memory of His Highness the late Maharaja Sir Takhtsinhji.

CHAPTER VIII.

MISCELLANEOUS.

1. State Printing Press.

The total receipts were Rs. 31,899 and the total expenditure Rs. 24,363 as against Rs. 23,778 and Rs. 27,978 respectively, in the preceding year.

The only periodical printed was the monthly *Darbari Gazette.* The *Kavyapremi* was discontinued during the year under report.

There are six private Printing Presses in the State.

2. The Takhtsinhji Poor-house.

This poor-house at Adhevada continued to be managed by the Rajya-kharch Department of the State. The inmates of the house were fed and clothed by the Darbar at a cost of Rs. 1,711. The number of the poor who took advantage of this Institution was 11,553 as against 11,531 last year. The number at the end of the year was 29 of which 13 and 9 were adult men and women, and 4 and 7 were boys and girls. Two of the boys attended school.

Besides maintaining this poor-house a sum of Rs. 51,439 was spent by the Darbar under the supervision of the Rajyakharch Department in supporting a number of miscellaneous charities.

3. Stationery.

The value of stock requisitioned and supplied during the year was Rs. 5,553 and of the stock on hand at the close of the year was Rs 3,947.

4. Conclusion.

In conclusion it gives me pleasure to tender my best thanks to all the Heads of Departments and Officers, who have worked so zealously and devotedly in the performance of their respective duties, and whose hearty co-operation has largely contributed to the smooth working of the Administration. I have particularly to thank my colleagues Mr. N. F. Mirza, Mr. Tribhovandas Kalïdas and Mr. Murarji A. Tana, who have been of invaluable help to me.

Dewan Office:
Bhavnagar, 20th May 1910.

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Appendices I. to XXXIII.

(In rounding off figures fractions, annas and pies have been omitted; consequently a slight discrepancy may sometimes occur in additions and subtractions.)

APPENDIX I.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Names of High Officials showing changes in the Personnel during the year 1909–10.

Designation of Place	Name of Holder of Substantive Appointment	Date of Appointment	Cause of Vacancy	Name of Holder of Acting Appointment	Remarks
Chief Dewan	Prabhashanker D. Pattani C. I. E. ...	24–2–02	....	....	
Naib Dewan	Tribhuvandas Kalidas *	19–4–06	....	....	
Judicial Assistant	Nasarwanji Framji Mirza, B. A., LL. B. ...	22–9–04	....	.....	*Under the designation of Revenue Assistant.
Personal Assistant	Murarji A. Tana, B. A., LL. B.	12–7–06	.....	....	
Chief Judge	Munchersha N. R. Ranina	22–9–04	....	....	
Revenue Commissioner	Chimanlal Bhudharbhai, Bar. at-law ...	3–12–08	....	....	
Superintendent of State Expenses ...	Rana Shri Kalubha Kaliansinhji... ...	8–9–99	....	....	
Hazur Aid-de-Camp	Do.	1–8–97	....	.....	
Rajyaprakarni Court Officer	Bhupatrai Vithaldas	1–9–99	....	....	
Chief Vakil with the Agent to the Governor	Manishanker G. Bhatt, B. A., LL. B. ...	1–12–03	....	....	
Controller of State Accounts... ...	Burjorji A. Entee, B. A.	26–12–06	....	....	
Principal, Samaldas College	Kavasji J. Sanjana, M. A.	5–4–05	.....	....	
Officer Commanding Bhavnagar Imperial Service Lancers	Lieutenant Zorawarsinhji Harisinhji, B. A..	4–7–05	....	.....	
Police Superintendent	Vishwanath Ranchhodji Joshi	22–11–06	....	.....	
State Engineer	Pestonji B. Behramji, Esq , B. A. B. SC. L. C. E.	7–7–08	....	....	
Customs Commissioner	Bhanushanker Bhawanishanker Bhat, B. A., L L. B.	3–12–08 to 18–11–09	Transferred to the Judicial Department	Bhupatrai Vithaldas.	
Chief Medical Officer	Dr. P. Deb. M. B. C. M. (Edin.)	15–4–09	....	....	
Officer Commanding Bhavnagar Infantry	Rana Shri Nanbha Kaliansinhji	8–3–00	....	.....	
Director of Education	Manishanker Ratanji Bhat, B. A. ...	19–4–06	....	....	
Prant Vakil	Vajeshanker Prajaram	3–12–08	.....	....	

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APPENDIX II.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Laws and Rules in force in 1909-10.

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Act No. I. of Samvat 1920 (so far as it stands unrepealed).	Criminal Procedure Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Act III. of 1922. (2) Reso. No. 56 of 1944. (3) ,, 144 of 1945. (4) ,, 108 of 1960.	.....	
Act No. II. of Samvat 1920 (so far as it stands unrepealed).	Limitation and Legal Practitioners...	.....	
Act No. I. of Samvat 1923.	Regulating the Fees of Legal Practitioners.	.....	
Act No. II. of Samvat 1923.	Stamp Law ... ... Amended by— Act No. II. of Samvat 1941.	.....	
Resolution No. 1*a* of Samvat 1923, dated 22-11-66.	Prohibiting Alienation of Alienated Lands. Supplemented by— Resolution No. 48 of 1945.		
Act I. of Samvat 1927..	Municipal Law ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 1*b* of 1929, dated 28-2-73. (2) ,, 99 of 1944. (3) ,, 15 of 1948. (4) ,, 22 ,, (5) ,, 33 of 1951. (6) ,, 51 ,, (7) ,, 93 ,, (8) ,, 129 of 1952. (9) ,, 14 of 1955. (10) ,, 25 of 1958. (11) ,, 242 of 1961. (12) ,, 85 of 1964. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 22 of 1950. (2) ,, 143 ,, (3) ,, 84 ,, (4) ,, 40 of 1951. (5) ,, 280 ,, (6) ,, 50 ,, (7) ,, 10 of 1952. (8) ,, 15 ,, (9) ,, 15 of 1953.	.....	

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. I. of 1927	Customs Law* ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 106 of 1932. (2) „ „ 114 of 1939. (3) „ „ 981 of 1945. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 25 of 1949. (2) Port & Dock Estate Rules of 1952, dated 26-10-96. (3) Reso. No. 1717 of 1962. (4) Amended by Reso. No. 1409 of 1864.	..... Adapted.	
Resolution No. 12 of Samvat 1930.	Prohibiting Darbari Servants from dealing with Grasias, &c., or trading. Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 38 of St. 1946. (2) „ „ 28 „ 1948.	..... 	
Resolution No. 803 of Samvat 1930.	Prevention of Frauds in the Cotton Trade in Bhavnagar.	.....	
Resolution No. 1091 of Samvat 1930.	Prevention of Frauds in the Cotton Trade in Mahuva. Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 1295 of 1958.	..... 	
Resolution No. 198 of Samvat 1931.	Regulating Import of Lead and Saltpetre.	.....	
Act III. of Samvat 1938.	Inspection of Steam-boilers and Prime-movers. (1) Reso. No. 51 of 1963. (2) Amended by Reso. No. 64 of 1963.	Adapted. 	
Resolution No. 1c of Samvat 1939, dated 30-10-83.	Salt-Law ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 125 of 1951. (2) „ „ 90 of 1952.	„ 	
Act II. of Samvat 1940.	Registration Law	„	
Act I. of Samvat 1941.	Succession Certificate and Letters of Administration.	.....	
Resolution No. 1278 of Samvat 1943.	Inquiry into and Settlement of Alienated Lands, &c.	.....	
Resolution No. 106 of Samvat 1944.	Examination of Candidates for Clerical Service.	.....	
Resolution No. 238 of Samvat 1945.	Petitions against Darbari Servants and their inquiry.	.....	
Resolution No. 381 of Samvat 1945.	Grant-in-aid to Private Schools ...	Adapted.	
Act. II of Samvat 1946.	Prevention of Cruelty to Animals ...	„	

* *(a)* With regard to trade to and from foreign ports, the customs tariff is the same as in British India.

(b) The working of the customs houses and the methods and arrangement for collection of customs duties are on the same lines as those obtaining at British Indian Ports.

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Act III. of Samvat 1946.	Public Conveyances ... ... Supplemented by Reso. No. 134 of 1963.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 660 of Samvat 1946.	Leave Rules ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 14 of 1955. (2) „ „ 6 of 1957. (3) Supplemented by Reso. No. 50 of 1963.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1947...	Court-fees Act ... ... Bye-rules—Reso. No. 64 of 1955.	Adapted.	
Act III. of Samvat 1947.	Prevention of Gambling ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 22 of 1952. (2) „ „ 1 of 1956.	„	
Resolution No. 95 of Samvat 1947.	Regulating the Police of Giras and Alienated Villages.	.....	
Resolution No. 336 of Samvat 1947.	Regulating Fees to be charged by Medical Officers of the State. Supplemented by Reso. No. 24 of 1961.	.....	
Resolution No. 156 of Samvat 1947.	Prohibiting Darbari Servants from accepting presents from subordinates	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1948...	Penal Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 93 of 1950. (2) „ „ 268 of 1951. (3) „ „ 2 of 1952. (4) „ „ 107 „ (5) „ „ 108 of 1960.	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1948.	Police Act ... ... (1) Bye-rules, Reso. No. 264 of 1950. (2) „ „ „ 193 of 1953. (3) „ „ „ 226 of 1954. (4) „ „ „ 53 of 1959. Bye-rules—Resolution No. 264 of 1950. Supplemented by Reso. No. 72 of 1963.		
Act III. of Samvat 1948.	Revenue Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 1602 of 1955. (2) „ „ 725 of 1956. (3) „ „ 375 of 1958. (4) „ „ 376 of „ (5) „ „ 1070 of 1961.		

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. 30 of Samvat 1948.	Constitution, &c., of Criminal Courts.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 13 of Samvat 1948.	Military Rules ... ... Supplemented by Reso. No. 17 of 1951.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1949.	Civil Procedure Code ... ... Amended by— (1) Reso. No. 134 of 1951. (2) „ „ 1602 of 1955. Bye-rules „ „ 64 of „ „ „ „ 23 of 1963.	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1949.	Civil Courts Act	„	
Act I. of Samvat 1952...	Factories Act...	„	
Resolution No. 127 of Samvat 1952.	Offences against the Post Office and Savings Bank.	„	
Resolution No. 330 of Samvat 1952.	Plague Inspection and Quarantine Supplemented by— (1) No. 51 of 1953. (2) „ 63 „ „ (3) „ 66 „ „ (4) „ 14 „ „ (5) „ 7 of 1954. (6) „ 1 of 1955. (7) „ 2 „ „ (8) „ 11 „ „ (9) „ 1 of 1956.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1953...	Game-Laws	Adapted.	
Act II. of Samvat 1953.	Account Code ... ... Amended by Reso. No. 225 of 1955.	.....	
Resolution No. 43 of Samvat 1953.	Famine Code...	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 8 of Samvat 1953.	Printing Presses ... ... Supplemented by No. 11 of 1953.	„	
Resolution No. 15 of Samvat 1953.	Registration of Deaths	.....	
Resolution No. 14 of Samvat 1953.	Registration of Births and Deaths ...	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1954 ..	Compulsory Service	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1955...	Cattle-Trespass	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 8 of Samvat 1955.	Prohibiting Alienation of Lands and Haks by Bhayats and Mul-grasias.	.....	

Number and Date of Promulgation.	Description.	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts.	Remarks.
Resolution No. 1366 of Samvat 1955.	Establishment of the Rajyaprakarni Daftar for the disposal of disputes of Bhayats and Mul-grasias, &c. Amended by Reso. No. 1534 of 1955.	.....	
Resolution No. 1709 of Samvat 1955.	Excise Duty on Woven Goods ... Amended by— Reso. No. 328 of 1957.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 1301 of Samvat 1955.	Boundary Marks	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1956..	Paupers and Vagrants ... ... Supplemented by— (1) Reso. No. 3 of 1956. (2) „ „ 7 „ „	.....	
Act II. of Samvat 1956..	Arms Act ... ... Amended by Reso. No. 23 of 1963.	.....	
Resolution No. 317 of Samvat 1957.	Passenger Ships	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 96 of Samvat 1957.	Explosives	.....	
Resolution No. 192 of Samvat 1957.	Opium Law ... ... Supplemented by Reso. No. 1292 of 1958.	Adapted.	
Resolution No. 7 of Samvat 1958.	Darbar Savings Bank ... ... (1) Amended by Reso. No. 48 of 1963. (2) Amended by Reso. No. 169 of 1963.	.....	
Resolution No. 13 of Samvat 1958.	Pension	.....	
Resolution No. 1489 of Samvat 1958.	Regulating the Levy of *Khushki Jakat.*	.....	
Resolution No. 1294 of Samvat 1958.	The Regulation of *Tari Jakat* ...	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1960.	State Bonds Act	.....	
Resolution No. 299 of Samvat 1960.	Summary Disposal of certain mercantile disputes. Amended with regard to Stamp Duty by Reso. No. 74 of 1960. Bye-rules,—Reso. No. 1071 of 1961.	.....	
Resolution No. 118 of Samvat 1961.	Controlling Sale of Cocaine and Morphia. (1) Supplemented by Resolution No. 17 of 1964. (2) Supplemented by Resolution No. 363 of 1964.	.....	
Act I. of Samvat 1963.	Law relating to false trade marks	Adapted.	
No. 44 of 1965.	Registration of Companies	„	
Reso. of Samvat 1965...	Rules for explosive substances ...	„	

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APPENDIX III.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, and Other Particulars of the Imperial Service Lancers for 1909-10.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.								Details of Force at end of the Current Year.				Total cost on account of pay and allowance of the Force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the Current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of Guns.	Number of Men					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, Deserted, &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Imperial Service Troops ...	295	31	4	...	29	293	B. I. S. L.	*Nil.*	...	11	26	256	Rs 1,64,259	This sum includes Rs 12,400 given to the Regimental Grass Fund by the State which sum would otherwise fall under forage compensation.

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APPENDIX III-A.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, and other Particulars of the Infantry or Armed Police for 1909-10.

Arm of Service.	Number of Fighting Officers and Men.						Details of Force at the end of the Current Year.						Total cost on account of pay and allowances of the Force, including followers.	Remarks.
	At the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Casualties.			At the end of the current year.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of Guns.	Number of Men.					
			Died.	Invalided.	Discharged, Deserted, &c.				European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.		
													Rs	
Artillery	18	...	...	...	...	18	B. S. I.	6	...	....	...	18	54,498	There is no separate artillery in the State. The duties are performed by a party of the Infantry specially trained for the purpose.
Infantry	263	35	5	...	33	260		...	...	8	34	218		
Total... ...	281	35	5	...	33	278	...	6	...	8	34	236	54,498	

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APPENDIX IV.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Strength, Cost, Discipline and Education of the Police for the year 1909-10.

Description of Office.	Number.	Pay of Grade	Horse Allowance.	Total Monthly Cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education.		Remarks.
					Dismissed	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By Promotion.	By Money.	Number able to read and write.	Number under Instruction.	
		Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Police Superintendent	1	300 0 0	60 0 0	360 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Assistant Police Superintendent	1	140 0 0	40 0 0	180 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
First Class Foujdars	3	50 0 0	20 0 0	190 0 0	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	One Foujdar works as a Shirastedar, does not get horse-allowance.
Second „	3	40 0 0	20 0 0	185 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	One Foujdar gets Rs. 5 more than his grade as personal pay.
Third „	3	35 0 0	20 0 0	165 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	
Fourth „	4	30 0 0	20 0 0	180 0 0	...	1	...	2	...	4	...	One Foujdar works as Accountant Foujdar, does not get allowance.
First Class Naib Foujdars ...	6	25 0 0	5 0 0	180 0 0	...	1	...	...	...	6	...	One Naib Foujdar works as a Clerk and does not get allowance.
Second „	13	20 0 0	5 0 0	320 0 0	...	5	...	2	...	13	...	
Third „	8	15 0 0	5 0 0	160 0 0	...	2	...	1	...	8	...	
Jamadars	21	15 0 0	...	318 0 0	...	3	...	4	...	20	...	One Jamadar getting Rs. 3 as personal allowance.
Havaldars	77	12 0 0	...	924 0 0	6	27	...	5	...	60	10	
First Class Constables	70	10 0 0	...	700 0 0	11	17	...	8	...	48	19	
Second „	155	9 0 0	...	1,395 0 0	27	42	...	7	...	70	17	
Third „	274	8 0 0	...	2,192 0 0	45	92	...	8	...	121	50	
Faras	1	4 8 0	...	4 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Boy	1	8 0 0	...	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Chowkidars	75	1 to 9 0 0	...	467 0 0	14	6	...	6	...	16	1	
Detective	1	20 0 0	...	20 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Daffedars	5	32 0 0	...	160 0 0	...	1	...	...	...	4	1	The Salary of Daffedars and Sowars includes horse-allowance.
Sowars, Class I.	15	27 0 0	...	405 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	12	2	
„ II.	15	26 0 0	...	390 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	9	1	
„ III.	16	25 0 0	...	400 0 0	...	4	...	...	...	13	1	
Sandhani Sowar...	1	22 0 0	..	22 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
Total... ...	769	...	...	9,325 8 0	103	202	...	43	...	419	102	

Rs 9,325-8-0 × 12 = Rs 1,11,906 annual cost of pay and allowances.

„ 10,748 contingent, travelling expenses, dress and repairing expenses.

Rs 1,22,654 Total annual expenditure.

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APPENDIX V.

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Statement showing the working of the Police during the year 1909-10.

1 Number of offences.		2 Number of accused arrested.		3 Number of accused sent for trial.		4 Number of accused convicted.		5 Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		6 Percentage of convictions to arrests columns 2 & 4.		7 Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		8 Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
401	330	468	403	462	395	340	269	112	119	72·64	66·74	73·59	68·1	7 under Court trial. 8 under Police investigation.

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APPENDIX VI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the value of property stolen and amount of recoveries during the year 1909—10.

Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Percentage of recoveries of property stolen.		Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
Rs a. p.	Rs	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.			
7,507 0 0	8,313	4,756 0 0	7,404 0 0	63·35	89·06	

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APPENDIX VII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Number of Crimes committed, Number of Cases disposed of, and Cases awaiting trial in the year 1909-10.

Tribunals.	Balance from the past year.	DESCRIPTION AND NUMBER OF OFFENCES. Committed during the present year. Murder.	Culpable Homicide not amounting to Murder.	Grievous Hurt.	Hurt.	Dacoity.	Robbery.	House-breaking.	Theft.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Number of cases disposed of during past year.	Number of cases disposed of during present year.	Number of persons apprehended.	Number of persons convicted.	NUMBER OF PERSONS SENTENCED. Imprisonment. Simple.	Rigorous.	Imprisonment and Fine. Simple.	Rigorous.	Fine	Whipping.	Total.	Number of persons acquitted or discharged.	Number of Persons confined being insane.	Number of persons committed to Sessions Courts.	Number of persons died during or before trial.	Term of Imprisonment. Under 1 month.	From 1 to 2 months.	From 2 to 3 months.	From 3 to 6 months.	From 6 to 12 months.	From 1 to 2 years.	From 2 to 3 years.	From 3 to 5 years.	Above 5 years.	Transportation.	Capital Punishment.	Awaiting Trial.
Chief Judge's Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	1	3	...	2	...	1	...	...	3	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	1
Joint Chief Judge's Court...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	35	17	30	3	22	...	3	...	2	30	35	...	...	...	5	3	...	...	...	1	7	6	6	...	...	6
Bhavnagar Foujdari Court...	...	1	...	8	270	...	4	12	73	2,234	2,602	2,417	1,923	2,098	1,689	...	4	5	21	1,650	9	1,689	393	...	11	...	12	9	2	1	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	5
Mahuva Court	...	3	...	9	149	...	...	9	38	335	543	107	141	441	112	4	9	7	27	61	4	112	305	...	13	...	24	15	2	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Kundla ,, ...	...	2	1	10	77	...	2	3	27	157	279	54	60	166	49	4	6	1	12	26	...	49	107	...	10	...	11	7	1	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Talaja ,, ...	...	...	1	10	37	...	1	3	26	83	161	32	61	123	57	2	7	1	17	30	...	57	54	...	12	...	14	7	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lilia ,, ...	...	...	...	3	21	...	3	1	10	48	86	12	23	54	23	2	4	...	8	7	2	23	30	...	1	...	4	3	1	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sihor ,, ...	...	1	1	...	73	...	3	1	24	206	309	47	17	123	19	1	3	...	1	14	...	19	75	...	5	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24
Umrala ,, ...	...	...	...	3	40	...	1	1	3	78	126	39	21	44	10	1	1	...	...	7	...	10	29	...	5	...	1	1	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gadhada ,, ...	...	1	...	4	22	...	...	...	4	31	62	20	21	64	11	1	1	...	1	8	...	11	50	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Botad ,, ...	...	1	...	1	43	...	...	4	13	43	105	34	30	114	21	...	7	...	3	11	...	21	89	...	4	...	2	1	4	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total.....	...	9	3	48	732	...	14	34	218	3,215	4,273	2,783	2,337	3,245	2,024	18	66	15	94	1,814	17	2,024	1,174	...	64	...	79	46	16	11	8	8	10	6	9	...	...	47

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APPENDIX VIII.

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Statement showing the Number of Offences reported and dealt with by the various Courts during the year 1909-10.

Tribunals.	Number of offences reported during the year.		Number of Persons dealt with.								Persons disposed of.					Persons remaining at the end of year.	Remarks.
			Remaining at the end of the last year.	Brought to trial in 1909-1910.													
				Arrested by Police.	Upon Warrant.	On Summons.	Voluntary.	Brought before Magistrate by extradition.	Total.		Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.		
	Past Year.	Present Year.							Past Year.	Present Year.							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Chief Judge's Court ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	...	7	3	...	...	1	* Exclusive of 10 committed by lower Courts.
Joint Chief Judge's Court	...	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	9	*17	...	35	30	...	...	6	* Do. 54 do. do.
Bhavnagar Foujdari Court	3,894	2,602	...	98	32	1,958	10	...	2,809	2,098	56	337	1,689	11	...	5	
Mahuva Court ...	569	543	3	99	104	201	27	7	388	441	144	161	112	13	...	11	
Kundla „ ...	216	279	...	35	19	105	4	3	143	166	43	64	49	10	...	...	
Talaja „ ...	119	161	...	53	10	56	...	4	96	123	23	31	57	12	...	...	
Lilia „ ...	75	86	1	24	...	29	...	...	47	54	22	8	23	1	...	...	
Sihor „ ...	166	309	...	30	51	33	4	5	119	123	59	16	19	5	...	24	
Umrala „ ...	160	126	3	12	3	22	2	2	86	44	8	21	10	5	...	...	
Gadhada „ ...	89	62	...	22	10	30	2	...	55	64	11	39	11	3	...	...	
Botad „ ...	157	105	2	22	14	73	...	3	136	114	57	32	21	4	...	...	
Total ...	5,445	4,273	27	395	243	2,507	49	24	3,888	3,245	423	751	2,024	64	...	47	

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APPENDIX IX.

Statement showing the Results of Appeals against Decisions passed by the Criminal Courts in the Bhavnagar State during the year 1909—10.

Tribunals.	Number of Applications.	NUMBER OF PERSONS AND CASES.																				Remarks.
		Applications rejected.		Sentences.						Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further Enquiry, &c., ordered.		Pending.						
				Confirmed.		Modified.		Reversed.														
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	
Hazur Court	13	...	...	61	10	...	...	5	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Chief Judge's Court	80	...	...	51	39	26	20	27	16	...	...	...	...	2	2	5	3					
Total	93	...	...	112	49	26	20	32	19	...	...	...	...	2	2	5	3					

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APPENDIX X.

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CIVIL WORK.—Nature and Value of Original Suits filed and disposed of in the Year 1909-10.

Tribunal	Opening balance.		Filed during the year, received by transfer or on remand.		Total.		Disposed of during the year.		Closing balance.		Suits filed during present Year.								Suits disposed of during present Year.							Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value.	Suits for landed property.	Suits for money transactions.	Suits for other rights.	Number of suits under Rs. 100.	Number of suits above Rs. 100 and under Rs. 500.	Number of suits above Rs. 500 and under Rs. 1,000.	Number of suits above Rs. 1,000 and under Rs. 5,000.	Number of suits above Rs. 5,000.	Ex-parte.	Admitted and compromised.	Struck off the file.	Otherwise disposed of.	Value.	Average Duration.	
											Rs a. p.														Y. m. d.	
Chief Judge's Court ...	6	3	2	...	8	3	5	...	3	3	0 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rs a. p. ...	...	
Joint Chief Judge's Court	6	4	9	3	15	7	11	4	4	3	18,555 0 0	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	3	25,595 0 0	1 0 2·5	
Bhavnagar Civil ,, ...	78	48	1,325	1,300	1,403	1,348	1,355	1,262	48	86	1,27,271 0 0	35	1,239	26	1,047	202	35	16	...	308	380	112	462	1,10,747 0 0	0 1 3·9	
Mahuva Court ...	83	104	1,403	1,307	1,486	1,411	1,382	1,246	104	165	1,15,019 0 0	17	1,249	41	896	357	36	18	...	458	342	208	238	1,08,962 0 0	0 1 16	
Kundla ,, ...	6	5	649	648	655	653	650	647	5	6	70,831 0 0	3	641	4	515	109	7	17	...	206	302	19	120	71,880 0 0	0 1 11·73	
Lilia ,, ...	15	7	423	578	438	585	431	577	7	8	48,692 0 0	4	565	9	446	117	11	4	...	152	152	61	212	48,172 0 0	0 0 25·2	
Talaja ,, ...	1	9	486	244	487	253	478	251	9	2	26,898 0 0	...	242	2	197	38	6	3	...	106	82	34	29	28,099 0 0	0 1 9·37	
Sihor ,, ...	8	2	454	426	462	428	460	399	2	29	37,882 0 0	1	422	3	343	74	4	5	...	108	233	...	58	29,495 0 0	0 1 12·6	
Umrala ,, ...	7	6	357	412	364	418	358	414	6	4	35,283 0 0	2	402	8	336	65	9	2	...	91	75	3	245	40,317 0 0	0 1 7·5	
Gadhada ,, ...	6	2	261	283	267	290	265	290	2	...	38,073 0 0	...	287	1	220	51	9	8	...	71	91	51	77	38,130 0 0	0 1 10·018	
Botad ,, ...	5	11	507	467	512	478	501	470	11	8	50,040 0 0	4	458	5	344	111	9	3	...	132	142	5	191	46,634 0 0	0 1 13·17	
Total ...	221	201	5,876	5,673	6,097	5,874	5,896	5,560	201	314	5,68,494 0 0	66	5,507	100	4,344	1,124	126	76	3	1,633	1,799	493	1,635	5,43,031 0 0	0 2 4·72	

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APPENDIX XI.

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CIVIL WORK.—Results of Applications for Execution of Decrees in the year 1909-10.

Tribunals.	Opening Balance.		Value of Opening Balance for present year.	Applications brought to the Register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing Balance.			Nature of Applications pending disposal at the close of the year.			Remarks.
	Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Below 6 Months.	Below 12 Months.	Above 12 Months.	
			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.			Rs a. p.				
Chief Judge's Court ...	3	2	15,328 0 0	2	2	2,552 0 0	5	4	17,880 0 0	3	1	1,858 0 0	2	3	16,022 0 0	...	1	2	
Joint Chief Judge's Court	17	13	72,818 0 0	12	18	33,867 0 0	29	31	1,56,685 0 0	16	8	32,035 0 0	13	23	1,24,650 0 0	6	7	10	
Bhavnagar Civil Judge's Court	194	127	57,857 0 0	1,336	1,414	1,75,278 0 0	1,530	1,541	2,33,135 0 0	1,403	1,392	1,77,075 0 0	127	149	56,060 0 0	91	21	37	
Mahuva Court ...	94	155	83,747 0 0	2,553	2,255	2,37,172 0 0	2,647	2,410	3,20,919 0 0	2,492	2,257	1,99,223 0 0	155	153	1,21,696 0 0	79	39	35	
Kundla ,, ...	198	132	56,843 0 0	1,390	1,374	2,54,697 0 0	1,588	1,506	3,11,540 0 0	1,456	1,264	2,14,616 0 0	132	242	96,924 0 0	120	63	29	
Talaja ,, ...	172	67	23,184 0 0	1,102	910	1,07,299 0 0	1,274	977	130,483 0 0	1,207	921	1,16,176 0 0	67	56	14,307 0 0	15	30	11	
Lilia ,, ...	27	34	13,225 0 0	649	627	75,433 0 0	676	661	88,658 0 0	642	626	73,873 0 0	34	35	14,785 0 0	14	9	12	
Sihor ,, ...	59	24	17,380 0 0	550	573	92,494 0 0	609	597	1,09,874 0 0	585	507	74,679 0 0	24	90	35,195 0 0	38	47	5	
Umrala ,, ...	104	73	20,795 0 0	640	653	1,60,036 0 0	744	726	1,80,831 0 0	671	655	1,55,498 0 0	73	71	25,333 0 0	32	22	17	
Gadhada ,, ...	27	7	2,253 0 0	377	383	69,041 0 0	404	390	71,294 0 0	397	363	55,772 0 0	7	27	15,522 0 0	17	10	...	
Botad ,, ...	53	66	39,737 0 0	1,601	850	92,899 0 0	1,654	916	1,32,636 0 0	1,588	897	1,21,515 0 0	66	19	11,121 0 0	10	6	3	
Total ...	948	700	4,03,167 0 0	10,212	9,059	13,50,768 0 0	11,160	9,759	17,53,935 0 0	10,460	8,921	12,22,320 0 0	700	838	5,31,615 0 0	422	255	161	

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APPENDIX XII.

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CIVIL WORK.—Number and Results of Appeals in Civil Suits in the year 1909—10.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during		Total.		Disposed of during		Closing balance.		Value of Appeals filed during		How disposed of.										Average Duration.	
													Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases remanded for retrial.		Cases compromised and otherwise disposed of.			
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.
											Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.											Y. m. d.	Y. m. d.
Hazur Court	9	10	29	21	38	31	28	23	10	3	50,458 0 0	17,242 0 0	14	15	3	3	11	10	...	...	...	...	0 3 13	0 1 6
Chief Judge's Court ...	20	11	31	24	51	35	40	23	11	7	6,994 0 0	5,437 0 0	25	19	7	3	2	4	...	...	6	2	0 8 5·52	0 7 14·32
Joint Chief Judge's Court	41	55	178	200	219	255	164	204	55	51	31,849 0 0	37,042 0 0	87	106	23	50	26	24	11	8	17	16	0 4 7·37	0 4 2·79
Total... ...	70	76	238	245	308	321	232	260	76	61	89,301 0 0	59,721 0 0	126	140	33	56	39	38	11	8	23	18	0 5 8·63	0 4 7·7

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APPENDIX XIII.

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Statement showing the Number of Persons confined in the Jails and Lock-ups in the year 1909-10.

Stations.	Number of Prisons.	Number of Prisoners.				Daily Average.		Number of Prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total Cost of Jail and Prisoners.	Average period of accused under trial.	Remarks showing Mortality among Convicts in Jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total.							
				Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.				
									Rs a. p.	Days.	
Bhavnagar Central Jail.	1	114	130	275	244	114·6	101·3	105	10,832 0 0	...	5 died during the year.
Mahuva „ ...	1	2	65	42	67	1·93	2·78	...	792 0 0	14·02	
Kundla „ ...	1	...	52	68	52	2·57	1·87	1	831 0 0	10·71	
Talaja „ ...	1	...	23	19	23	1·04	1·43	...	600 0 0	7·27	
Lilia „ ...	1	...	11	2	11	·0041	·101	...	419 0 0	·76	
Sihor „ ...	1	...	15	20	15	·18	·05	...	605 0 0	14·9	
Umrala „ ...	1	...	10	28	10	2·083	·23	...	596 0 0	13·03	
Gadhada „ ..	1	...	4	8	4	·187	·134	...	595 0 0	23·3	
Botad „ ...	1	...	18	5	18	·3	·6	...	615 0 0	2·1	
Bhavnagar Lock-up	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	12·25	
Total... ..	9	116	328	467	444	122·89	108·49	106	15,885 0 0	10·9	

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APPENDIX XIV.

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Registration of Documents during the year 1909—10.

Name of State.	Documents presented for Registration.		Nature of Documents presented.										Documents Registered.		Value of Documents Registered.		Documents of which Registration has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		Remarks.
			Mortgages.		Sale-deeds.		Wills.		Money-Bonds.		Miscellaneous.										
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	No	No.	No.	No.	
Bhavangar Civil Judge's Court ...	249	282	156	173	13	16	43	15	10	14	27	64	249	281	92,144 0 0	98,197 0 0	...	1	...	...	
Mahuva Court	101	126	56	75	2	4	9	4	18	12	16	31	101	126	29,326 0 0	37,698 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Kundla „	52	73	41	59	8	9	1	1	...	...	2	4	52	73	33,274 0 0	41,999 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Talaja „	19	34	13	18	1	4	1	3	2	3	2	6	19	34	5,095 0 0	8,764 0 0	...	...		...	
Lilia „	10	8	7	4	...	1	...	1	1	...	2	2	10	8	9,900 0 0	7,610 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Sihor „	91	103	55	67	17	16	3	4	...	2	16	14	91	103	26,964 0 0	27,231 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Umrala „	24	27	21	22	3	1	...	...	...	1	...	3	24	27	7,070 0 0	7,530 0 0	...	..	...	...	
Gadhada „	32	24	26	15	2	3	...	...	1	1	3	5	32	24	14,381 0 0	3,966 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Botad „	41	18	40	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	41	18	22,110 0 0	4,827 0 0	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	619	695	415	449	46	54	57	28	32	33	69	131	619	694	2,45,264 0 0	2,37,822 0 0	...	1	...	...	

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APPENDIX XIV-A.

Deeds relating to immovable property registered by the Revenue Department during the year 1909–10.

District.	Last Year, 1908-09.			Present year, 1909-10.		
	Number of Documents.	Aggregate Value	Amount of Chowth.	Number of Documents.	Aggregate Value.	Amount of Chowth.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	No.	Rs	Rs	No.	Rs	Rs
Daskrohi	282	1,61,176	4,867	346	1,97,776	5,940
Sihor	61	33,378	1,091	46	22,934	688
Umrala	16	2,840	85	13	4,260	128
Gadhada	14	3,498	104	20	3,885	116
Botad	24	12,547	377	14	4,000	120
Lilia	6	916	27	5	466	14
Kundla	29	10,154	304	71	20,091	603
Mahuva	99	58,866	1,766	95	46,795	1,404
Talaja	20	8,758	263	32	12,283	368
Port Victor	31	8,342	250	30	13,329	425
Total ...	592	3,00,475	9,044	672	3,25,819	9,896

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APPENDIX XV.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Receipts and Expenditure on account of Registration during the year 1909-10.

Description.	Past Year.			Present Year.			Remarks.
	Number of Deeds.	Value of Property.	Fees Realized.	Number of Deeds.	Value of Property.	Fees Realized.	
	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	
Mortgages	415	1,75,088 0 0	1,159 0 0	448	1,70,419 0 0	1,144 0 0	
Sale-deeds	46	26,575 0 0	112 0 0	54	15,225 0 0	113 0 0	
Wills	57	19,539 0 0	250 0 0	28	6,894 0 0	105 0 0	
Money-Bonds	32	11,899 0 0	41 0 0	33	11,269 0 0	38 0 0	
Miscellaneous	69	11,543 0 0	148 0 0	131	34,015 0 0	379 0 0	
Total... ...	619	2,45,264 0 0	1,710 0 0	694	2,37,822 0 0	1,779 0 0	
Deduct Expenditure... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Net Profit... ..	...	...	1,710 0 0	...	...	1,779 0 0	

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APPENDIX XVI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Receipts and Expenditure of the Municipalities in the years 1908–09 and 1909–10.

Name of Municipality.			Receipts in						Expenditure in					
			1908-09.			1909-10.			1908-09.			1909-10.		
			Rs	a.	p.	Rs	a.	p.	Rs	a.	p.	Rs	a.	p.
Municipal President's Office		...	...			...			1,125	0	0	1,127	0	0
Bhavnagar City Municipality		...	44,358	0	0	53,222	0	0	68,160	0	0	65,117	0	0
Mahuva	do.	...	3,043	0	0	2,979	0	0	9,993	0	0	9,927	0	0
Kundla	do.	...	62	0	0	86	0	0	4,840	0	0	4,751	0	0
Sihor	do.	...	441	0	0	460	0	0	4,638	0	0	5,267	0	0
Botad	do.	...	230	0	0	133	0	0	3,059	0	0	2,063	0	0
Gadhada	do.	...	119	0	0	133	0	0	1,323	0	0	1,260	0	0
Umrala	do.	...	86	0	0	119	0	0	1,550	0	0	1,560	0	4
Talaja	do.	...	196	0	0	317	0	0	1,429	0	0	1,474	0	0
Rajula	do.	...	120	0	0	125	0	0	1,167	0	0	1,027	0	0
Lilia	do.	...	9	0	0	13	0	0	939	0	0	937	0	0
	Grand Total	...	48,664	0	0	57,587	0	0	98,223	0	0	94,510	0	0

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APPENDIX XVII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement of Rainfall in 1909-10.

District.	April 1909.	May 1909.	June 1909.	July 1909.	August 1909.	September 1909.	October 1909.	November 1909.	December 1909.	January 1910.	February 1910.	March 1910.	Total.	Total of past year.	Average of past five years.	Remarks.
Bhavnagar	...	...	6·35	5·19	10·55	4·58	...	...	·95	...	...	...	27·62	27·62	21·06	
Sihor	·59	·21	4·56	8 72	6·53	5·36	·47	...	1·21	...	...	...	27·65	20·74	21·63	
Mahuva	...	...	4·58	9·38	7·83	3·18	...	...	·65	...	...	...	25·62	19·58	19·94	
Kundla	...	...	5·35	6·19	3·37	7·46	·63	...	·36	...	...	...	23·36	12·75	17·86	
Lilia	...	...	8·63	4·91	3·75	4·53	...	...	·35	...	...	...	22·17	16·36	18·29	
Umrala	...	...	8·66	6·16	3·57	5·10	...	...	·25	...	...	...	23 74	16·40	19·12	
Botad	·24	...	4·20	6·63	2·65	4·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	19·33	22·76	21·38	
Gadha 'a	·51	...	3·76	4·65	2·57	5·50	...	...	·50	...	...	...	17·49	19·64	15·62	
Talaja	·55	...	9·52	10·76	5·68	4·26	...	...	·69	...	...	...	31·46	27·34	23·72	
Victor	...	...	2·55	6·13	6·44	3·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	18·57	14·98	16·18	
Average for the whole State...	·18	·02	5·31	6·87	5·26	4·83	·11	...	·49	...	...	...	23·60	19·81	19·48	

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APPENDIX XVII.—A.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative table of Rainfall in the various Districts for eight years ending 1909–10.

Districts.	Samvat year 1958.	Samvat year 1959.	Samvat year 1960.	Samvat year 1961.	Samvat year 1962.	Samvat year 1963.	Samvat year 1964.	Samvat year 1965.	Average per District.
Bhavnagar City ...	24·29	26·12	14·12	14·6	19·27	16·19	27·62	27·62	21·22
Sihor	27·23	23·77	9·42	12·19	26·38	21·20	20·74	27·65	21·07
Mahuva	14·23	23·77	5·93	12·34	18·50	23·66	19·58	25·62	17·95
Kundla	18·15	16·50	8·36	10·41	21·80	20·98	12·75	23·36	16·53
Lilia	24·12	26·31	8·64	9·44	27·50	16·0	16·36	22·17	18·81
Umrala	31·73	40·98	12·57	19·30	20·18	16·0	16·40	23·74	22·61
Botad	19·96	23·84	8·80	22·41	25·45	17·99	22·76	18·33	19·94
Gadhada	22·50	23·78	9·24	13·60	16·95	10·44	19·64	17·49	16·70
Talaja	30·25	36·55	7·59	12·21	23·62	24·0	27·34	31·46	24·12
Port Albert Victor ...	23·83	21·58	4·96	7·32	15·78	24·28	14·98	18·57	16·41
Average for the whole State	23·62	26·32	8·96	13·38	21·54	19·07	19·81	23·60	19·53

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APPENDIX XVIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing Monthly Average Prices of Food-stuffs for five years ending with March 1910.

Month.	1905-06.				1906-07.				1907-08.				1908-09.				1909-10.			
	Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee.				Seers for one Rupee				Seers for one Rupee.			
	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.	Wheat.	Bajree.	Juwar.	Rice.
April	22	26	32	20	19	20	25	16	20	30	40	14	17	21	23	8½	16	24	26	10
May	20	22	25	18	19	20	25	16	19	29	38	13	16	21	23	8½	17	25	26	10
June	20	20	24	15	19	21	26	16	18	28	32	12	15	22	24	9	15	20	25	9
July	20	22	24	16	20	22	27	16	18	26	32	13	15	23	24	9	15	22	23	9
August	22	28	32	18	21	23	28	16	18	24	28	11	16	22	23	10	18	23	28	8
September	21	21	28	17	21	23	32	16	18	24	28	11	15	22	24	9	19	24	30	12
October	20	20	25	17	20	24	38	15	14	20	30	10	16	21	23	9	19	25	36	12
November	20	20	25	17	18	25	40	14	14	18	28	10	14	22	24	10	19	25	36	12
December	18	20	25	17	22	24	38	13	15	18	24	9	15	21	23	9	18	20	30	10
January	18	19	25	16	20	25	36	14	15	16	20	8	15	22	24	9	17	19	27	9
February	18	19	26	17	18	25	36	14	16	20	22	8	15	22	24	9	16	18	24	9
March	18	19	27	17	18	26	36	14	17	21	23	8½	16	21	23	8½	16	18	24	9

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APPENDIX XIX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Expenditure on Public Works during the year 1909-10.

Description of Work.	State Funds.			Local Funds.			Total.
	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Communications	24,705	65,230	89,935	...	...	...	89,935
Buildings...	89,232	29,274	1,18,506	...	...	...	1,18,506
Harbour Works	51,076	31,261	82,337	...	...	...	82,337
Water Works	1,35,349	5,563	1,40,912	...	...	...	1,40,912
Public Recreation	...	16,476	16,476	...	...	...	16,476
Miscellaneous Works	...	15,882	15,882	...	...	...	15,882
Works under Civil Departments ...	7,120	3,490	10,610	...	...	...	10,610
Grand Total ...	3,07,482	1,67,176	4,74,658	...	...	...	4,74,658

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APPENDIX XX.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Agricultural Stock during the year 1909-10 A. D., Samvat 1965.

District.	HORSES AND CATTLE.								PLOUGHS.		CARTS.		Remarks.
	Bullocks.	Cows.	Buffaloes. Males.	Buffaloes. Females.	Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies.	Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	With two Bullocks.	With four Bullocks.	Riding.	Load carrying.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.			No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Bhavnagar State ...	45,249	17,445	337	22,170	2,769			3,528	2,32,580	20,112	...	1,758	7,332	

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APPENDIX XXI.

Statement showing the Excise Shops and Excise Revenue of the Bhavnagar State during the year 1909-10.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Ganja.		Tari.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	Number of Shops.	Revenue.	
		Rs.		Rs,		Rs.				Rs.	
Bhavnagar	44	14,000	75	20,000	14	1,228	..	...	133	35,228	

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APPENDIX XXII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing Receipts and Disbursements during the year 1965 (Samvat).

Receipts.

Nature of Demand.	Demand. Arrears.	Demand. Current.	Demand. Total.	Collection during the current year.	Collection during the previous year.	Remission during the current year.	Balance.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cash balance at the commencement of the year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,12,459
Receipts.								
Land	36,64,246	26,77,308	63,41,554	24,25,581	20,47,437	9,555	39,06,418	
Customs	34,377	3,09,941	3,44,318	2,75,415	2,80,274	...	68,903	
Abkari	8,158	32,524	40,682	32,509	21,745	...	8,173	
Salt	...	17,338	17,338	17,338	15,112	...	...	
Taxes	22,227	65,234	87,461	64,575	64,361	...	22,886	
Law-Courts	...	96,901	96,901	96,901	82,984	...	...	
Miscellaneous	57,342	53,084	1,10,426	54,602	53,821	...	55,824	
Education	...	23,902	23,902	23,902	22,767	...	...	
Sudhara Varad	32,687	40,590	73,277	35,482	31,152	...	37,795	
Interest and Exchange ...	70,876	1,82,786	2,53,662	1,64,929	1,48,670	1,900	86,833	
Profit and Loss	...	1,896	1,896	1,896	3,891	...	...	
Printing Press	...	31,899	31,899	31,899	23,778	...	...	
Forests	...	28,590	28,590	28,590	22,832	...	...	
Najarano	...	326	326	326	99	...	...	
Total	38,89,913	35,62,319	74,52,232	32,53,945	28,18,923	11,455	41,86,832	
Previous arrears recovered...	—95,551	...	—95,551	+1,58,048	+ ·95,551	...	—95,551 / -1,58,048	
Total... ...	37,94,362	35,62,319	73,56,681	34,11,993	29,14,474	11,455	39,33,233	
Railway	...	10,93,896	10,93,896	10,93,896	11,16,823	...	...	
Grand Total ...	37,94,362	46,56,215	84,50,577	45,05,889	40,31,297	11,455	39,33,233	

Disbursements.

Nature of Expenditure	Budget Estimates. Current year.	Budget Estimates. Previous year.	Actual Expenditure. Current year.	Actual Expenditure. Previous year.	Amount.
10	11	12	13	14	15
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Political (including tribute, &c.)	2,23,761	2,23,176	2,23,472	2,22,006	
Darbar (including Rajkutumb and Relatives).	3,75,447	3,75,567	3,75,447	3,74,974	
Administration	1,31,146	1,27,837	1,53,560	1,33,380	
Revenue...	4,27,073	4,27,089	3,44,741	3,60,346	
Law-Courts (including Jail, &c.)	97,514	99,215	87,692	88,027	
Police	1,26,132	1,21,332	1,26,057	1,27,567	
Education	1,56,222	1,49,002	1,41,910	1,37,306	
Medical (including Vaccination).	71,778	72,067	75,136	67,834	
Public Works (including Press, &c.)	5,37,672	3,31,285	5,09,201	5,78,468	
Municipality	1,00,178	96,335	95,637	1,00,771	
Pension	1,58,620	1,53,352	1,47,646	1,56,621	
Charities...	87,542	89,035	76,592	1,12,166	
Guests	15,244	14,106	20,976	19,443	
Public Recreation... ...	29,700	29,963	19,727	22,898	
Inam	12,925	12,925	8,547	20,315	
Conveyance	1,36,859	1,18,002	1,09,214	1,29,596	
Stud and Sick Stable ...	30,875	25,175	31,792	38,345	
Profit and Loss	...	...	21,017	13,841	
Hakdar	1,90,060	1,88,560	1,82,644	1,34,953	
Interest, &c.	2,00,000	1,98,000	2,33,638	2,20,825	
Imperial Service Lancers ...	1,87,540	1,79,358	1,64,259	1,76,109	
Do. Purchase of Horses.	...	...	...	...	
Infantry...	61,497	61,245	54,498	61,403	
Miscellaneous (including District tours, extra servants, &c.)	97,322	89,154	3,34,515	2,74,836	
Total... ...	34,55,107	31,81,769	35,37,916	35,72,030	
Railway	4,65,000	4,50,000	5,68,488	4,84,956	
Grand Total...	39,20,107	36,31,769	41,06,404	40,56,986	

Receipts during the year 1965 as shown in column 5 above		45,05,889	
Deposits in the Savings Bank		10,43,428	
One year Fixed Deposits		26,23,761	
Deposits *less* withdrawals :—			
Departments and others	+43,603		
B.-G.-J.-P. Railway	—1,82,474	-1,38,871	
Re-payment of Loans by Merchants		6,92,800	
Railway Provident Institution		28,739	
Railway Net Earnings Reserved Fund Account		5,33,954	
Hakdar's Account		1,61,000	
Sale of 22 Shares of the Bombay Steam Navigation Co.		5,500	
Sale of 3% Government Promissory Notes—transferred to "Investment in Government Promissory Notes for the Railway Net Earnings Reserved Fund."		4,97,165	
Total... ...		1,14,65,815	

Expenditure during 1965 as per Column 13		41,06,404
Railway Capital Expenditure		2,23,623
Withdrawals from the Savings Bank		8,51,222
,, ,, Fixed Deposits		20,74,358
Amount carried to the credit of the Railway Net Earnings Reserved Fund Accounts.		5,33,954
Advances to Departments and others		3,45,488
Short period deposits in Banks and Loans to Merchants		7,03,671
Investment in Government Promissory Notes		2,00 000
,, for the Railway Net Earnings Reserved Fund ...		5,92,892
Investment in the Tata Iron and Steel Manufacturing Co.'s Shares ...		1,20,000
,, Kolahpur Shahu Chhatrapati Mill's Shares ...		5,000
Cash balance at the end of the year		17 09,303
Total...		1,14,65,815

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APPENDIX **XXII-A.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement showing the Financial Position of the State at the end of Samvat 1965.

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Particulars.	Amount.	Amount.	Particulars.	Amount.	Amount.
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
To Balance of last year	15,12,450		By Expenditure for 1965 as shown in column 13 of Statement **A**	...	41,06,404
„ Amount transferred to Darbar Credit, being surplus of Revenue including the above balance at the end of 1964 ... ...Rs. 1,11,96,645			„ Miscellaneous Deposits re-paid	...	2,67,312
Less—Balance shown above ... „ 15,12,450			*Dues and Advances.*		
	96,84,195		„ Dues by the Districts for arrears, &c.	...	39,33,233
		1,11,96,645	„ Loans and advances as under :—		
			(*a*) Advances to Departments and others ...	4,45,488	
„ Receipts for 1965 as shown in column 3 of Statement **A**	...	45,05,889	(*b*) Loan to Bhayats	1,71,680	
			(*c*) „ Merchants and short period deposits in Banks	7,12,200	
					13,29,368
Debts and Liabilities.			„ Amount carried to the credit of the Railway Net Earnings' Reserved Fund Account	...	8,57,687
„ Deposits as under :—			„ Investments as under :—		
(*a*) Railway Provident Fund Account ...	5,24,551		(*a*) B.-G.-J.-P. Railway	81,63,482	
(*b*) Hakdar's Account	3,48,732		(*b*) Ahmedabad-Dholka Railway Shares ...	1,00,000	
(*c*) B.-G.-J.-P. Railway Current Account ...	-1,34,996		(*c*) Shiajee Chokolate Manufacturing Co.'s Shares	2,000	
(*d*) Savings Bank Account	17,09,220		(*d*) Government Promissory Notes	12,53,100	
(*e*) Fixed Deposits Account	25,38,728		(*e*) „ purchased for the Railway Net Earnings Reserved Fund ..	7,26,297	
(*f*) Charity and Scholarships Deposits... ...	29,100		(*f*) Bombay Port Trust Bond	1,000	
(*g*) Railway Net Earnings' Reserved Fund Account ... „	8,57,687		(*g*) Bombay Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares ...	2,94,500	
		58,73,022	(*h*) The Tata Iron & Steel Co.'s Shares	2,88,970	
			(*i*) The Kolhapur Shahu Chhatrapati Mill's Shares	5,000	
„ Debts as under :—			(*j*) Sarasvati Mill Shares	25,000	1,08,59,349
Bhavnagar State Bonds	...	14,87,100	„ Balance	...	17,09,303
Total... ...	...	2,80,62,656	Total... ...	...	2,30,62,656

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APPENDIX XXIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement of Medical Relief afforded in the years 1908-09 and 1909-10.

No.	Names	Number of Patients Treated.				Result of In-Patients.								Expenditure.		Average Daily Attendance.	
		Out-Patients.		In-Patients.		1908-09.				1909-10.							
		1908-09.	1909-10.	1908-09.	1909-10.	Discharged.	Absented.	Died.	Remaining.	Discharged.	Absented.	Died.	Remaining.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1908-09.	1909-10.
	Chief Medical Officer's Office Establishment, &c.													Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.		
														10,180 0 0	8,599 0 0		
1	Bhavnagar Takhtsinhjee Hospital ...	10,484	12,366	532	575	414	56	23	39	418	84	23	50	17,369 0 0	18,937 0 0	310	337
2	„ Jail „ ...	762	872	138	145	132	...	1	5	139	...	4	2	605 0 0	589 0 0	33	38
3	„ Sir Jasvantsinhjee Dispensary...	20,384	20,446	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,005 0 0	7,500 0 0	452	440
4	„ Benba Naniben Female Dispensary	5,468	4,350	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,221 0 0	2,119 0 0	105	79
5	„ Juwansinhjee Dispensary ...	23,115	28,031	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,386 0 0	4,981 0 0	444	528
6	„ Imperial Lancers' „ ...	2,599	2,928	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	920 0 0	805 0 0	43	44
7	„ Darbari Aushadhalaya... ...	5,033	6,097	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	814 0 0	801 0 0	80	89
8	Sir Takhtsinhjee Poor-house Dispensary	50	68	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	458 0 0	458 0 0	9	9
9	Mahuwa Dispensary	13,823	13,435	15	14	11	3	...	1	6	5	2	1	3,530 0 0	2,705 0 0	223	185
10	Sihor „	7,636	7,471	2	2	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	2,655 0 0	1,790 0 0	119	127
11	Kundla „	9,575	9,894	...	9	...	...	...	...	8	...	1	...	2,086 0 0	1,948 0 0	163	160
12	Botad „	3,518	3,279	4	1	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1,222 0 0	1,106 0 0	59	59
13	Talaja „	3,668	3,822	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,409 0 0	1,294 0 0	51	52
14	Umrala „	2,978	3,487	1	2	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1,103 0 0	1,089 0 0	48	58
15	Gadhada „	5,584	5,272	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1,422 0 0	1,407 0 0	90	80
16	Lilia „	3,531	3,201	3	2	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	1,317 0 0	1,100 0 0	40	35
17	Rajula „	3,759	3,277	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1,347 0 0	1,243 0 0	61	53
18	Jesar „	2,978	3,880	1	2	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1,157 0 0	1,013 0 0	34	42
	Total... ...	1,24,945	1,32,176	703	755	572	59	27	45	581	91	30	53	62,211 0 0	59,484 0 0	2,364	2,415

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APPENDIX **XXIV.**

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Vital Statistics for the year 1909-10.

Name.	Population.	Births.		Increase.	Decrease.	Deaths.		Increase.	Decrease.	Ratio per 1000 of Population.				Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.			Past year.	Present year.			Births.		Deaths.		
										Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
Bhavnagar ...	4,12,664	8,749	8,782	33	...	6,763	6,440	...	323	21·2	21·2	16·3	15·6	

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APPENDIX XXV.

Particulars as to the Schools maintained by the Bhavnagar State for the year 1909–10.

Number of Schools.		Description of Schools.	average monthly Number on the rolls.		Daily average attendance.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary.	Primary.	
1	1	High School	348	376	304	344	14,459 0 0	...	...	
5	5	First Grade Anglo-Vernacular Schools	803	971	721	836	...	13,736 0 0	...	
2	3	English Classes	93	120	81	97	...	1,046 0 0	...	
1	1	Majiraj English School for Girls ..	8	9	6	8	...	1,196 0 0	...	
2	2	Grant-in-aid English Schools ...	382	443	342	384	...	1,974 0 0	...	
122	122	Primary Boys' Schools	8,932	9,001	6,980	7,040	...	...	54,359 0 0	Rs 1,375 are given in cash to the students instead of 'sidhas' every year.
20	20	„ Girls' Schools	2,732	2,786	1,825	1,872	...	...	16,327 0 0	
3	3	Sanskrit Pathshalas	66	69	52	47	...	...	1,034 0 0	
1	2	Urdu Schools...	125	238	101	191	...	...	875 0 0	
2	2	Grant-in-aid Vernacular Schools at Mahuva	315	351	262	294	...	...	295 0 0	

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APPENDIX XXV-A.

BHAVANGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement showing Attendance, Expenditure, &c., in the several Educational Institutions in the years 1908-09 and 1909-10.

1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9
Class and Name of Institution.	Number of Institutions.		Average monthly number on the Rolls throughout the year.		Average daily attendance		Total Expenditure.		Receipts from Fees.		Net Expenditure (*i. e.*, difference of Columns 5 and 6.)		Incidence of net cost per pupil.		Remarks.
	1908-09.	1909-10.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1908-09.	1909-10.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	Rs a. p.	
I. Arts College—															
Samaldas College	1	1	60	72	56	64	20,432 0 0	21,349 0 0	2,632 0 0	3,319 0 0	17,800 0 0	18,030 0 0	297 0 0	256 0 0	
II. High School—															
Alfred High School	1	1	348	376	304	344	13,774 0 0	14,459 0 0	5,921 0 0	6,836 0 0	7,853 0 0	7,623 0 0	23 0 0	20 0 0	
III. Middle Schools—															
(1) Anglo-Vernacular School, Bhavnagar	1	1	394	452	364	357	5,287 0 0	5,270 0 0	3,210 0 0	3,338 0 0	2,077 0 0	1,932 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	
(2) ,, ,, Mahuva ...	1	1	193	243	183	222	3,687 0 0	3,747 0 0	1,466 0 0	1,894 0 0	2,221 0 0	1,853 0 0	12 0 0	8 0 0	
(3) ,, ,, Sihor ...	1	1	124	143	112	135	1,880 0 0	2,130 0 0	865 0 0	1,062 0 0	1,015 0 0	1,068 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	
(4) ,, ,, Kundla ...	1	1	46	71	42	64	1,239 0 0	1,280 0 0	355 0 0	432 0 0	884 0 0	848 0 0	19 0 0	15 0 0	
(5) ,, ,, Botad ...	1	1	46	62	40	58	1,317 0 0	1,309 0 0	361 0 0	393 0 0	956 0 0	916 0 0	24 0 0	15 0 0	
(6) Gujarati High School, English Class.	1	1	66	71	59	56	420 0 0	471 0 0	180 0 0	246 0 0	240 0 0	225 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	
(7) Rajula English Class	1	1	27	25	22	22	240 0 0	290 0 0	63 0 0	50 0 0	177 0 0	240 0 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	
(8) Majiraj Girls' School English Class..	1	1	8	9	6	8	1,610 0 0	1,196 0 0	122 0 0	131 0 0	1,488 0 0	1,065 0 0	90 0 0	118 0 0	
(9) Talaja English Class	...	1	...	24	...	19	...	285 0 0	...	45 0 0	...	240 0 0	...	10 0 0	
Total of Middle Schools...	8	9	904	1,100	808	941	15,680 0 0	15,978 0 0	6,622 0 0	7,591 0 0	9,058 0 0	8,387 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	
IV. Primary Schools—															
(1) Boys' Schools	122	122	8,932	9,001	6,980	7,040	53,286 0 0	54,359 0 0	8,250 0 0	8,372 0 0	45,036 0 0	45,987 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
(2) Girls' ,, ...	20	20	2,732	2,786	1,825	1,872	15,788 0 0	16,327 0 0	...	...	15,788 0 0	16,327 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	
(3) Sanskrit Pathshalas	3	3	66	69	52	47	1,033 0 0	1,034 0 0	...	...	1,033 0 0	1,034 0 0	16 0 0	15 0 0	
(4) Urdu Schools	1	2	125	238	101	191	791 0 0	875 0 0	...	...	791 0 0	875 0 0	6 0 0	4 0 0	
Total of Primary Schools...	146	147	11,855	12,094	8,958	9,150	70,898 0 0	72,595 0 0	8,250 0 0	8,372 0 0	62,648 0 0	64,223 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
V. Grant-in-Aid Schools—															
(1) New English School, Bhavnagar...	1	1	245	258	217	216	1,186 0 0	1,270 0 0	...	...	1,186 0 0	1,270 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
(2) Sanatan Dharma School ,, ...	1	1	139	185	125	168	615 0 0	704 0 0	...	...	615 0 0	704 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
(3) Vernacular Schools, Mahuva ...	2	2	315	351	262	294	294 0 0	295 0 0	...	...	294 0 0	295 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	
Total of Aided Schools...	4	4	697	794	604	678	2,095 0 0	2,269 0 0	...	...	2,095 0 0	2,269 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	
Total of all Educational Institutions...	160	162	13,864	14,436	10,730	11,177	1,22,879 0 0	1,26,650 0 0	23,425 0 0	26,118 0 0	99,454 0 0	1,00,532 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	
Inspection charges incurred on all Schools except College.	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,788 0 0	4,490 0 0	...	...	4,788 0 0	4,490 0 0	...	...	
Head-Office Establishment.	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,503 0 0	5,185 0 0	...	...	4,503 0 0	5,185 0 0	...	...	
School Apparatus, books, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000 0 0	1,000 0 0	...	...	1,000 0 0	1,000 0 0	...	...	
Buildings and Repairs through Engineering Department.	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,809 0 0	2,839 0 0	...	...	2,809 0 0	2,839 0 0	...	...	
Encouragements to Authors	...	...	...	...	...	...	500 0 0	500 0 0	...	...	500 0 0	500 0 0	...	...	
Endowments to Pathshalas	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,375 0 0	1,375 0 0	...	...	1,375 0 0	1,375 0 0	...	...	
Miscellaneous Grants, Scholarships, &c., &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,337 0 0	5,230 0 0	...	...	5,337 0 0	5,230 0 0	...	...	
Grand Total	160	162	13,864	14,436	10,730	11,177	1,43,191 0 0	1,47,269 0 0	23,425 0 0	26,118 0 0	1,19,766 0 0	1,21,151 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	

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APPENDIX **XXV-B**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Private Schools in 1909-10.

1. The Khoja Boys' School at Bhavnagar.
2. „ Girls' „ „
3. „ „ „ Mahuva.
4. The Jain Girls' School at Bhavnagar.
5. Tne Shravika Shala.
6. The Sanatan Dharma Primary Boys' School at Bhavnagar.
7. The Bohra School at Bhavnagar.
8. The Mission School for Boys at Bhavnagar.
9. „ „ Girls „
10. The English Class at Gadhada.
11. The Sanatana Dharama Girls' School.

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APPENDIX XXV.-C.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

List of Scholarships granted in the year 1909-10.

No.	Names of Scholarships.	No. of Scholarships.	Aggregate Value per Month. Rs	a.	p.
1	University Scholarships called Sir Jaswantsinhji Scholarships.	2	24	0	0
2	Darbari Scholarships in Samaldas College	14	90	0	0
3	Juwansinhji Scholarships „	2	16	0	0
4	Ahmedabad B. J. Medical School Scholarship	1	10	0	0
5	Agra Medical School „	1	15	0	0
6	The Bombay Grant Medical College Scholarships ...	3	50	0	0
7	Culcutta Homeopathic School Scholarship	1	15	0	0
8	Mahal Scholarships for students in Bhavnagar High School	10	50	0	0
9	Grasia Scholarships in Bhavnagar High School	10	60	0	0
10	„ „ A.-V. School	10	60	0	0
11	The Bhavnagar High School Scholarships	4	22	0	0
12	The Bhavnagar Anglo-Vernacular Scholarship	1	5	0	0
13	The Ahmedabad High School „ for a Girl ...	1	15	0	0
14	The Aligad Mahomedan Anglo-Oriental College	2	50	0	0
15	The Grasia School Scholarships, Gondal	2	45	0	0
16	The Poona Agricultural College Scholarships	2	30	0	0
17	The Nagpore „ „ „	2	27	0	0
18	The Bombay Technical Institute „	2	40	0	0
19	Samalds college Grassia Scholarship	1	10	0	0
20	„ „ Kanbi „	1	12	0	0
21	The Baroda Kala-Bhuvan Scholarship	1	10	0	0
22	The Bombay Davar's Commercial class Scholarship ...	1	15	0	0
23	Scholarship for the study of M. A.	1	15	0	0
24	„ for the study of Weaving	1	5	0	0
25	Sanatan Dharm School Scholarships	2	9	0	0
26	Scholarship for the study of Geology in Benaras	1	5	0	0
27	The Gokaldas Tejpal High School Scholarship	1	10	0	0
28	The Majiraj Girls' School Scholarships	2	10	8	0
29	The Vadva „ Scholarship	1	4	0	0
30	Keshaba Scholarships for Grasia Girl-students	2	10	0	0
		85	739	8	0

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APPENDIX **XXVI.**

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Comparative Statement of Revenue Recovery and Arrears for the years 1908-09 and 1909-10.

District.	Samvat 1964.			Samvat 1965.		
	Demand.	Recovery.	Arrears.	Demand.	Recovery.	Arrears.
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
Mahuva	3,84,128	3,45,520	38,608	4,45,054	3,95,121	49,933
Kundla	6,20,158	5,86,862	33,296	6,86,611	6,35,651	50,960
Lilia	3,42,824	2,49,105	93,719	3,62,858	3,19,449	43,409
Umrala	3,15,514	1,98,701	1,16,813	3,44,669	3,21,203	23,466
Botad	2,52,965	1,07,295	1,45,670	2,86,536	2,54,524	32,012
Daskrohi	1,66,758	93,514	73,244	2,73,385	2,39,683	33,702
Gadhada	1,54,831	64,696	90,135	1,83,474	1,81,240	2,234
Sihor	1,27,782	1,05,541	22,241	1,62,846	1,54,632	8,214
Talaja	1,45,901	1,27,362	18,539	1,82,730	1,82,340	390
Victor	1,72,639	1,68,841	3,798	1,92,015	1,57,527	34,488
Customs	2,83,082	2,80,274	2,808	1,87,891	1,76,982	10,909
Forest	22,832	22,832	...	28,590	28,590	...
Liquor	14,000	14,000	...	14,000	14,000	...
Printing Press ...	23,778	23,778	...	31,899	31,899	...
Abkari, Law, Education, Interest, and Miscellaneous ...	4,58,769	4,30,602	28,167	1,79,761	1,61,104	18,657
Total... ...	34,85,961	28,18,923	6,67,038	35,62,319	32,53,945	3,08,374
Railway	11,16,823	11,16,823	...	10,93,896	10,93,896	...
Grand Total...	46,02,784	39,35,746	6,67,038	46,56,215	43,47,841	3,08,374

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APPENDIX XXVII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Cases of Poisoning brought for treatment at the Hospital and Dispensaries in the year 1909-1910.

No.	Names of Dispensaries.	Opium.			Arsenic.			Dhatura.			Alcohol.			Tobacco.			Copper.			Indian Hemp.			Petroleum.			Ganja.			Pounded Glass.			Poisoned Wounds.									Grand Total.		
																															Snakebite.			Scorpion bite.			Centipeds bite.			Dog-bite.					
		Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.
1	Bhavnagar Takhtsingjee Hospital ...	14	13	1	...	...	...	1	1	..	23	23	..	..	...	..	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	3	3	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	46	45	1
2	„ Jail „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	„ Sir Jasvantsingjee Dispensary...	1	1	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	2	2	..	1	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	7	7	...
4	„ Benba Naniben Female Dispensary	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	„ Juwansingjee Dispensary.	1	1	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...
6	„ Imperial Lancer's „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	„ Darbari Aushadhalaya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Sir Takhtsingjee Poor-house Dispensary	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Mahuva Dispensary	5	5	...	...	...	...	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	...
10	Sihor „	2	2	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...	13	13	..	3	3	...	..	...	...	18	18	...
11	Kundla „	4	4	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	14	14	...
12	Botad „	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	1	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	6	1
13	Talaja „	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
14	Umrala „	4	4	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	...
15	Gadhada „	1	1	..	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	17	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	19	...
16	Lilia „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	2	2	...
17	Rajula „	1	1	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
18	Jesar „	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	9	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	14	...
	Total ...	36	35	1	...	...	...	2	2	...	26	26	..	1	1	...	4	4	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	13	12	1	59	59	...	3	3	...	..	...	..	147	145	2

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APPENDIX XXVIII.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement of Surgical Operations performed in the year 1909–10.

Major Operations.

Removal of Malignant Tumours	6
Removal of Non-malignant Tumours ...	7
Removal of Cysts	...
Removal, Foreign Bodies Deep Tissue ...	1
Opening of Deep Abscesses	38
Abscision of Eye for Staphyloma	1
Excision for Entropion	1
Excision for Trichiasis	26
Excision of Pterygium	16
Restoration of Eye-Ball	...
Passing of Probe, Lacrymal Obstruction ...	...
Iridectomy	2
Extraction of Lens	49
Solution of Lens	...
Paracentesis Anterior Chamber	...
Laceration of Opaque Capsule	3
Making of artificial Pupil	1
Extension for Ankylosis	3
Excision of Hœmorrhoids	1
Removal of Polypus Ear	6
Extraction of Nasal Polypus	2
Removal of Adenoma	1
Removal of Keloid	1
Ligature of Artery	1
Reduction of Hernia	...
For Imperforate Anus	2
Paracentesis of the Abdomen	9
Peritomy for Pannus...	2
Tapping of Bladder	1
Do. Hydrocele	2
Removal, foreign body in Œsophagus ...	1
Lithotomy	1
Litholapaxy	23
Dilatation of Stricture	...
Excision of Metacarpal for caries	1
Do. Elbow for caries..	1
Application of Forceps	13
Version	7
Separation of Placenta Previa before birth of Child	...
Removal of Adherent Placenta	3
Removal of Ovum	1
Reduction of Inverted Uterus	...
Craniotomy	...
Incision for Occluded Vagina	2
Do. Urinary Fistula...	1
Division of Cicatricial Adhesions	...
Setting of Fracture of Metacarpal	1
Carried over ...	237

		Brought forward ...	...	...	237
Reduction of Dislocation		Hip Joint ..	...		1
Do.	do.	Patella ...	...		...
Do.	do.	Elbow Joint	...		5
Do.	do.	Shoulder ,,	...		2
Do.	do.	Lower Jaw	...		14
Do.	do.	Wrist Joint	...		2
Amputation of Fore-arm		... ...	...		...
Do.	Toe ...	... ...	...		1
Do.	Foot ...	... ...	...		...
Do.	Leg ...	... ...	...		4
Removal of Necrosed Bone		... ...	...		13
					279

Minor Operations.

Removal of Tumours	... ...	...		2
Removal of Warts	... ...	...	...	46
Removal of Cysts	... ...	...	...	21
Do.	Corn	...	...	3
Removal, Foreign Body	Œsophagus		...	...
Do.	do. Skin	...	...	24
Do.	do. Eye	...	...	18
Do.	do. Ear	...	...	122
Do.	do. Nose	...	...	45
Do.	Eyelashes ...	...	...	297
Removal, Foreign Body	Tooth	...	...	1
Do.	do. Vagina	...	...	1
Scarification of Gum		... ...	...	1
Do.	of Palpebral Conjunctiva		...	...
Epilation for Trichiasis		... ...	...	...
Opening of Stye	... ...	...	...	3
Opening of Small Abscesses		...	...	1,537
Opening of Gum Boils	... ...	...	...	30
For Ranula ...	... ...	...	...	2
Opening of Carbuncle	... ...	...	...	1
Do.	Boil	...	...	24
Paracentesis Anterior Chamber Eye		...	...	3
Extraction of Teeth	... ...	...	...	1,216
Eruption of Teeth	... ...	...	...	...
Opening of Bubo	... ...	...	...	2
Rupture of Bursæ	... ...	...	...	...
Cutting of Uvula	... ...	...	...	4
Division of Frœnum of tongue		... ...		1
Reduction of Hernia ..	... ...	...	...	6
Passing of Exploratory Trocar and Canula			...	1
Reduction of Prolapsus Ani	...	...	...	4
Passing of Bougies for stricture		... ...		3
Do.	Sound for Stone ...	...	...	11
Opening of Fistula in Ano	...	...	...	8
Passing of Catheters	... ...	...	...	211
Removal of Urethral Calculi		... ...		6
Dilatation Urethral Stricture		... ...		2
Slitting, Phimosis	... ...	...	...	2
		Carried over ...		3,653

Brought forward...	3,658
Circumcision for Phimosis	21
Reduction, Paraphimosis	2
Opening of Hamatocele	1
Tapping, Hydrocele	8
Puncturing Ædema	1
Removal of Slough	3
Plugging of Cervix Uteri	
Removal of Remains of Hymen	
Scarification of Cervix Uteri	
Restoration of the Lobule	3
Dilatation of Cervical Canal	
Removal of Polypi from Cervix Uteri	
Insertion of Vaginal Pessary	14
Incision for Imperforate Hymen	1
Dilatation of Os	
Rectification of Displacements of Uterus	
Removal of Retained Placenta	
Replacement of Prolapsus Recti	2
Division of Adhesion of Labia	1
Removal of small Sequestra	8
Refracture of Clavical Bone	1
Incision Skin	2
Reduction of Dislocation of Thumb	1
Scraping of Carious Bone	30
Amputation of Thumb	2
Do. of Finger	7
Removal of Supernumerary Finger... ...	6
Removal of Ingrown Nail	3
Cupping	6
For Cicatrices...	
Skin Grafting	5
Subcutaneous Injections	13
Application of Sutures	171
	3,970
	4,249

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APPENDIX XXIX.

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Statement showing Particulars of Vaccination for the year 1909--10.

Name of the State.	Population according to the Census of 1901.	Total No. of villages.	Of the Total No. of villages visited by			No. of Children.				Percentage of successful cases in which the results were known.	Small-pox.							Number of persons successfully vaccinated per 1,000 population.	Cost.		Remarks.
						Total number vaccinated.		Number inspected.			No. of Villages affected.	No. of Cases.									
												Previously protected.			Previously unprotected.						
			Vaccinators.	Inspectors.	Superintendents.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	By Inspectors.	By Superintendents.			Recovered.	Died.	Deformed.	Recovered.	Died.	Deformed.		Total.	Per each successful case.	
																			Rs	Rs a. p.	
Bhavnagar ...	412,664	658	633	351	80	P 13,147 R 61	380 9	9,823	6,848	P 96·4 R 87·1	4	1	1	...	20	3	...	32·06	5,675	0 6 10	

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Statement showing the details of Vaccination during the year 1909-10.

No.	Circles.	Population of District according to census of 1901.	Average population per square mile.	Average number of vaccinators employed throughout the year.	Total Number of persons vaccinated.			Average number of persons vaccinated by each Vaccinator.	PRIMARY VACCINATION.					RE-VACCINATION.			Percentage of successful cases in which the results were known.		Persons successfully vaccinated per 1,000 of population.	Percentage of unknown cases to total cases		Average annual No. of persons successfully vaccinated during previous five years.		Average annual No. of deaths from small-pox during previous five years.	
									Total.	Successful.			Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unknown.	Primary.	Re-vaccination.		Primary.	Re-vaccination.	Number.	Ratio per 1,000.	Number.	Ratio per 1,000.
										Under one year.	One and under six years.	Total of all ages.													
1	2	3	4	5	6			7	8				12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
					M.	F.	Total.																		
1	Bhavnagar ...	61,623	209·6	1	P 1,038	1,028	2,066	...	2,078	1,559	435	2,012	1	1	1	...	96·8	100·0	32·6	0·04	...	1,888	30·6	31	0·5
					R ...	1	1																		
2	Mahuva ...	56,687	182·9	1	P 797	798	1,595	...	1,595	1,120	402	1,527	8	7	...	...	95·7	...	26·9	0·4	...	1,298	22·8	13	0·2
					R 4	3	7																		
3	Kundla ...	53,608	147·3	1	P 751	829	1,580	...	1,580	1,350	207	1,557	22	1	1	...	98·5	100·0	29·1	1·3	...	1,379	25·7	...	...
					R 1	...	1																		
4	Rajula ...	46,504	95·9	1	P 772	747	1,519	...	1,519	837	666	1,503	12	59	59	...	98·9	100·0	33·6	0·7	...	1,447	31·1	2	0·04
					R 51	8	59																		
5	Sihor ...	56,213	161·8	1	P 1,116	1,068	2,184	...	2,227	1,366	721	2,101	14	...	..	...	94·3	...	37·3	0·6	...	1,473	26·2	6	0·1
					R ...	...	...																		
6	Botad ...	45,216	107·4	1	P 793	703	1,496	...	1,507	1,020	449	1,470	...	...	...	...	97·5	...	32·5	...	...	1,092	24·1	6	0·1
					R ...	...	...																		
7	Talaja ...	48,044	125·8	1	P 858	848	1,706	...	1,724	1,315	303	1,621	48	1	...	...	94·0	...	33·7	2·7	...	1,419	29·5	13	0·2
					R 1	...	1																		
8	Umrala ...	44,769	162·8	1	P 687	705	1,392	...	1,404	966	385	1,356	2	1	...	...	96·5	...	30·3	0·1	...	1,053	23·5	6	0·1
					R 1	...	1																		
	Total ...	4,12,664	143·4	8	P 6,812	6,726	13,538	1,701	13,684	9,533	3,568	13,147	107	70	61	...	96·4	87·1	32·0	0·8	...	11,049	26·6	77	0·1
					R 58	12	70																		

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APPENDIX XXXI.

BHAVNAGAR STATE.

Statement of the Export Trade of the several Ports for the years 1908-1909 and 1909-1910.

EXPORT.

Number	Names of Articles.	Bhavnagar.				Mahuva.				Port Alexandra Victor.				Talaja.				Songad.				Total.			
		1908-1909.		1909-1910.		1908-1909.		1909-1910.		1908-1909.		1909-1910.		1908-1909.		1909-1910.		1908-1909.		1909-1910.		1908-1909.		1909-1910.	
		Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.
1	Cotton ... ...Cwts	250,658-2	63,69,322-12	2,99,498	83,85,944	44,738	12,42,630	29,508	3,01,200	722	18,385	1,120	32,000	91	1,810	352	13,088	...	...	0-0 2	1 0-0	2,96,209-2	77,72,117-12	3,30,478-0-8	92,32,233
2	Grain ... ... ,,	2,90,142	13,65,884	1,58,352	9,50,112	1,02,435	5,16,904	1 15,058	6,36,607	62,036	3,55,827-4	50,404	3,48,234	58,402	2,78,000	54,174	2,37,872	285	1,450	1,188-2-0	5,715-0-0	5,03,361	25,18,725-4	3,79,223-2	21,78,540
3	Wool ... ... ,,	6,809	3,06,405	4,434	1,99,530	2,709	1,27,316	3,925	1,85,710	59	2,100	56	2,000	12	357	93	3,071	...	...	...	...	9,589	4,35,873	8,508	3,90 311
4	Ghi ... ... ,,	10,500	5,25,000	14,442	7,22,100	5,841	3,09814	7,230	4,02,679	1,067-2	54,199-15	865	43,151	633	31,573	1,678	80,900	3	80	...	...	18,044-2	9,20,666-15	24,315	12,48,820
5	Molasses ... ... ,,	2,967-1	26,703-4	2,329	16,303	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,967-1	2,6703-4	2,329	16,303
6	Cotton-seeds ... ... ,,	54,748	1,77,931	42,198	1,20,301	5,141	16,979	...	...	225	562-8	500	1,500	110	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	60,224	1,95,637-8	42,668	1,28,004
7	Hides ... ... No.	1,58,209	3,13,368	72,314	1,45,648	11,028	7,057	6,335	4,154	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,69,237	3,20,425	78,649	1,49,802
8	Cocoanuts ... ... ,,	5,975	239	59,100	2,995	7,02,300	4,217	88,300	3,537	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,08,275	4,456	1,48,200	6,532
9	Stone ... ...Cwts	13,501	6,750-8	298	149	...	...	...	...	24,013	12,006	30,080	15,040	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37,514	18,755-8	30,378	15,189
10	Oil, Sweet ... ... ,,	744	13,392	631	10,096	632	16,122	879	16,413	37-1	995-8	231	4,674	8	144	2	24	...	...	...	...	1,471-1	30,654-8	1,743	31,207
11	Dates ... ... ,,	10,454	36,589	11,621	58,120	195	987	67	378	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,649	37,576	11,691	58,498
12	Metals ... ... ,,	2,088	1,88,760	2,704	2,02,800	172½	3,371	151	3,112	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,260-2	1,91,531	2,855	2,05,912
13	Cotton Yarns ... No.	1,153	1,58,564	1,401	1,90,912	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,153	1,58,564	1,401	1,90,912
14	Red Dungry Cloth	12,395	17,039-4	10,160	14,122	9	768	15	2,422	...	...	...	...	206	413	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,610	18,220-4	10,175	16,555
15	Peacock Feathers	...	...	...	...	18,000	5	40,000	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,000	5	40,000	15
16	Factitious Salt ... Cwts	1,840	4,140	1,630	3,520	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,840	4,140	1,630	3,520
17	Other Articles	...	9,88,041-7-2	...	12,72,779	...	1,21,937	...	1,86,983	...	2,739	...	31,890	...	2,350	...	1,987	..	14,471	...	7,729-0-0	...	11,29,538-7-2	...	15,01,368
	Bullion { Gold ... Tolas	446	9,812	37	888	352	8,272	380	9,125	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	798	18,084	417	10,013
	Bullion { Silver ... ,,	1,76,593	1,32,444-12	1,06,321	79,742	427	306	535	390	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,77,020	1,32,750-12	1,06,856	80,132
	Cash ... ... Rs.	...	6,250	...	12,500	...	52,500	...	56,700	...	...	...	1,554	...	3,650	...	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	62,400	...	71,754
	Total... ...	...	1,87,16,637-13-2	...	1,23,94,761	...	24,58,856	...	23,09,436	...	4,48,814-3	...	4,80,043	...	3,19,112	...	3,37,942	...	16,001	...	13,445-0-0	...	1,40,26,821-2-2	...	1,55,35,630

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APPENDIX **XXXII.**

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Statement of the Import Trade of the several Ports for the years 1908-1909 and 1909-1910.

IMPORT.

No.	Name of Articles	Bhavnagar.				Mahuva.				Port Albert Victor.				Talaja.				Sonrai.				Total.			
		1908-1909.		1909-1910.		1908-1909.		1909-1910.		1908-1909.		1909-1910.		1908-1909.		1909-1910.		1908-1909.		1909-1910.		1908-1909.		1909-1910.	
		Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.	Quantity or Number.	Value in Rupees.
1	Rice ... ... Cwts.	1,97,501	9,97,071	2,18,376	11,75,350	22,741	1,35,285	23,891	1,50,390	4,078	25,991-12	5,435	31,172	2,659	16,795	3,755	20,570	0-3-0	5-4	2-3-14	14	2,26,979-3	11,76,031-0-0	2,46,059-3-14	13,77,706
2	Grain	7,08,493	3,71,302	47,326	2,45,356	11,955	65,996	11,287	66,440	1,994-1	10,105-1	1,797	8,242	593	3,799	674	2,360	736-2	1,371	592-3	2,430	83,718-3	4,50,571-4-0	61,976-3	3,25,003
3	Cloth ... ... Bales.	4,251	11,08,115	5,125	13,35,396	163	30,716	156	39,890	22	7,895	48	18,310	2	300	1	25	...	...	...	...	4,438	11,47,026-0-0	5,330	13,93,621
4	Metals ... ... Cwts.	46,082	5,15,954	84,151	9,20,018	5,909-2-0	36,413	7,282	50,490	200-1	1,394-8	226	1,344	2	90	447	2,533	18	193	...	...	51,911-3	5,54,044-8	72,106	9,83,090
5	Timber	2,29,895	4,03,414	3,61,601	6,03,183	173	82,043	181	61,624	...	3,561	12	4,233	9,240	14,780	60	17,548	62	4-8	83	124	2,39,370	4,83,811-8	3,61,937	6,89,712
6	Sugar	1,48,491	18,45,116	1,22,777	12,65,389	11,091	99,148	13,794	1,35,558	2,737-2	26,793-8	3,073	28,814	1,163	11,378	694	6,495	...	...	0-3-13	10	1,23,486-2	14,82,440-8	1,40,368-3-13	14,35,486
7	Molasses	9,135	82,339	9,310	84,180	7,613	55,516	8,380	59,860	2,825	20,633-8	6,843	21,897	3,970	22,929	4,271	26,213	5	36	4	30	2,308	1,81,455-8	28,808	1,62,150
8	Oil, Sweet	3,334	22,679	5,250	39,422	11,758	83,854	12,033	76,140	4,131-3	14,044-8	4,500	15,245	...	...	...	...	0-1-0	11-8	0-1-2	6	19,264	1,20,589-0-0	21,483-1-2	1,80,813
9	Betelnut	15,797	1,66,709	6,318	68,307	2,462	37,997	2,935	38,321	192-2	3,265	185	3,207	10	168	1,342	141	...	...	...	...	19,463-2	2,08,138-0-0	8,906-2-0	1,29,979
10	Ghi	26	802	14	476	17	953	17	957	...	...	12	394	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	1,755-0-0	43	2,027
11	Ivory	0-0-5	25	...	...	3-2-0	2,460	1½	1,059	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3-2	2,485-0-0	1½	1,059
12	Silk... ... ... Bales.	...	...	13	4,916	...	...	1	750	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	5,666
13	Wool ... ... Cwts.	53	3,550	59	5,734	655	21,988	1,205	42,960	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	710	27,538-0-0	1,312	48,694
14	Cocoanuts ... ... No.	16,74,628	67,525	18,90,436	82,579	4,03,234	15,441	2,86,182	10,920	37,140	1,702-8	60,488	2,706	30,320	920	35,000	1,189	...	...	46	2	21,45,322	85,588-8	22,72,102	97,718
15	Coir ... ... Cwts.	3,624	34,897	6,185	54,293	2,621	16,402	2,820	18,726	324-1	1,964-4	254	1,525	451	2,704	491	2,563	...	...	...	...	7,020-1	55,967-4	14,290	77,050
16	Cotton Yarn	11,628	4,03,875	2,636	2,88,850	541	54,529	520	53,145	70	7,556-8	67	7,015	2	212	3½	150	...	...	...	...	12,241	4,65,972-8	3,226	3,48,760
17	Paper ... ... Reams	13,836	40,143	13,609	41,003	519	601	625	735	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,355	40,744	14,234	41,528
18	Dates ... ... Cwts.	16,045	66,650	26,081	1,30,172	3,869	19,194	4,255	21,175	100	550	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,014	86,394	30,336	1,51,347
19	Dry Dates	11,051	71,702	15,037	1,06,583	1,012	9,522	698	3,670	70-3	527	...	...	...	...	1½	15	2-2	14-8	1-2-0	7	12,136-3	81,753-0-0	15,736-2	1,10,260
20	Groundnuts	4,819	20,909	9,789	38,998	915	4,980	1,345	7,835	78-1	497	111	646	...	...	42	324	...	...	...	...	5,812-1	34,886-0-0	11,297	67,703
21	Tobacco	2,217	11,166	1,440	10,812	819	7,180	874	7,841	...	150	13	228	59	382	45	419	...	...	...	...	3,105	19,078-0-0	2,372	19,300
22	Oil-seeds	1,21,856	5,78,953	23,773	2,62,151	5,881	57,548	60	575	511	5,772	...	...	382	2,883	123	795	313	1,110	5-3-0	20	1,28,533	6,48,206-0-0	23,956-3-0	2,62,841
23	Other Articles	...	27,79,417	...	29,73,033	..	4,48,894	...	4,74,849	...	57,163-14	...	48,395	...	1,78,459	...	3,00,385	...	552-8	...	358	...	34,64,016-6	...	37,01,235
	Bullion. Gold ... Tolas.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bullion. Silver	1,250	1,075	...	...	40,371	27,397	42,800	27,318	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41,621	28,472-0-0	42,800	27,318
	Cash ... ... Rs.	..	...	...	...	...	24,200	...	30,400	...	6,000	...	...	..	3,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33,200-0-0	...	30,400
	Total	...	91,05,491	...	98,05,954	...	13,14,827	...	13,83,647	...	1,95,373-2	...	1,87,175	...	3,50,018	...	2,91,603	...	3,209-4	...	3,031	...	1,08,78,909-6	...	1,16,72,410

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APPENDIX XXXIII.

Abstract of the Trade Returns of all the Ports of the Bhavnagar State.

Exports of the Principal Articles.

Year.	Cotton.		Grain.		Wool.		Bales of Cotton-Yarn.		Other Articles.		Total.		Increase for 1909-10.
	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Bales.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	
		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs
1908–1909 ...	2,96,209-2	77,72,117-12	5,03,361	25,48,675-4	9,589	4,35,878	1,153	1,58,564	...	1,00,93,201-6	...	1,40,26,821-2	...
1909–1910 ...	3,30,478-0-8	92,32,233	3,79,233-2	21,78,540	8,508	3,90,311	1,401	1,90,912	...	33,81,735	...	1,55,35,630	15,08,808-14

Imports of the Principal Articles.

Year.	Rice.		Grain.		Cloth.		Metals.		Timber.	Sugar & Molasses.		Oil-Seeds.		Other Articles.	Total.		Increase for 1909-10.
	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Bales.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	Value.	Cwts.	Value.	
		Rs		Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs		Rs		Rs	Rs		Rs	Rs
1908-1909	2,26,979-3	11,76,031	85,718-3	4,50,571-4	4,438	11,47,026	51,511-3	5,54,044-8	4,83,811-8	18,65,042	16,63,896	1,28,833	6,46,266	46,94,691-2	...	1,08,78,009-6	...
1909-1910	2,06,359-3-14	13,77,705	61,976-3	3,25,008	5,330	13,93,621	72,106	9,83,690	6,89,712	1,69,116-3-13	15,97,616	23,962	2,63,841	49,83,499	...	1,16,72,410	7,94,400-10

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